Financial Report
with Supplemental Information
December 31, 2007

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Independent Auditor's Report

To the County Board of Commissioners Livingston County, Michigan

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, the aggregate discretely presented component units, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Livingston County, Michigan as of and for the year ended December 31, 2007, which collectively comprise the County's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the County's management. Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit. We did not audit the Livingston County Road Commission, whose assets and revenue totaled \$124,918,750 and \$17,996,065, respectively. Those financial statements were audited by other auditors, whose reports thereon have been furnished to us, and our opinion, insofar as it relates to the amounts included for the Livingston County Road Commission, is based solely on the reports of the other auditors.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinions.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, the aggregate discretely presented component units, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Livingston County, Michigan as of December 31, 2007 and the respective changes in financial position and cash flows, where applicable, thereof for the year then ended, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

The management's discussion and analysis and the budgetary comparison schedules, as identified in the table of contents, are not required parts of the basic financial statements but are supplemental information required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management, regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of required supplemental information.



To the County Board of Commissioners Livingston County, Michigan

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise Livingston County, Michigan's basic financial statements. The accompanying other supplemental information, as identified in the table of contents, is presented for the purpose of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. The other supplemental information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, a report dated June 19, 2008 has been issued on our consideration of Livingston County, Michigan's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, grant agreements, and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide opinions on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with Government Auditing Standards and should be considered in assessing the results of our audit.

Plante & Moran, PLLC

June 19, 2008

Management's Discussion and Analysis

Our discussion and analysis of Livingston County, Michigan's financial performance provides an overview of the financial activities for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2007. Please read it in conjunction with the County's financial statements.

Financial Highlights

Fiscal year 2007 marks the end of an era (business as we currently know it) and the beginning of a new era for Livingston County. We have felt the effects of the State of Michigan's fiscal crisis; the weak national economy; the credit crisis; record real estate foreclosures; job loses; and a slump in new construction. In spite of the national and state weak economy, Livingston County posted another strong financial close to fiscal year 2007. However, future years are wrought with challenges (decreased revenues) and limited opportunities. The following represents the most significant financial highlights for the year ended December 31, 2007:

- The County's primary source of General Fund revenue is property taxes, representing 61.5 percent of total revenues. We have experienced impressive percentage increases in property tax revenues for the past three years: 12.5 percent in 2005; 9.7 percent in 2006; and 4.0 percent in 2007. Unfortunately, this growth trend is not sustainable in the current economic environment. We are projecting zero tax revenue growth in 2008 and a 4.5 percent decline in 2009. Another impediment to continued growth is attributable to an amendment to the Property Tax Act (Public Act 356), a mandatory and permanent gradual shift (over a three-year period of time) from a December to a July tax levy. This shift was fully implemented in 2007. All future general tax levies will be on July 1st. This legislation has created a major challenge for counties with calendar fiscal years because we bill for our largest revenue source six months after the beginning of annual operations and collect the revenue nine months into the fiscal year. This creates cash flow problems and a future risk of incurring borrowing costs to sustain operations during the first nine months.
- During the past few years, Livingston County has been extremely proactive in reducing the cost of services. Departments were frugal and complied with the purchasing policy to competitively bid supplies and services. Further, departments were requested to review current processes to be more efficient with service delivery; to increase efficiency through the use of technology; to hold vacancies open for longer periods of time; and eliminate services/programs that no longer meet the needs of the community. The Board of Commissioners has focused on reducing discretionary programs in order to shift limited resources to mandated/priority programs. The culmination of these efforts has been an increase to the General Fund's fund balance for the past three years: \$1.8 million in 2005; \$2.6 million in 2006; and \$1.8 million in 2007. This is also evident by an increase of \$2.8 million to fund balance for the other governmental funds (excluding the General Fund). This growth trend is not sustainable and is not projected to repeat in future years.

Management's Discussion and Analysis (Continued)

Using this Annual Report

This annual report consists of a series of financial statements. The statement of net assets and the statement of activities provide information about the activities of the County as a whole and present a longer-term view of the County's finances. This longer-term view uses the accrual basis of accounting, so that it can measure the cost of providing services during the current year, and whether the taxpayers have funded the full cost of providing government services. The activities are divided between governmental and business-type. Governmental activities include the General Fund, Special Revenue Funds, Debt Service Fund, Capital Projects Fund, and Internal Service Fund. Business-type activities include the Building and Safety Fund, Airport Fund, Delinquent Tax Revolving Fund, Livingston Essential Transportation Service Fund, and the Septage Receiving Station Fund.

The fund financial statements present a short-term view; they tell us how the taxpayers' resources were spent during the year, as well as how much is available for future spending. Fund financial statements also report the County's operations in more detail than the government-wide financial statements by providing information about the County's most significant funds. The fiduciary fund statements provide financial information about activities for which the County acts solely as a trustee or agent for the benefit of those outside of the government.

Management's Discussion and Analysis (Continued)

The County as a Whole

The following table shows a condensed format of the net assets (in thousands of dollars) for fiscal years ended December 31, 2007 and 2006:

	Governmen	tal Activities	Business-ty	pe Activities	Total			
				2006, as				
	2007	2006	2007	restated	2007	2006		
Assets								
Current assets	\$ 61,829	\$ 55,233	\$ 34,412	\$ 36,887	\$ 96,241	\$ 92,120		
Noncurrent assets	56,739	58,672	35,159	29,986	91,898	88,658		
Total assets	118,568	113,905	69,571	66,873	188,139	180,778		
Liabilities								
Current liabilities	5,938	5,791	800	580	6,738	6,371		
Long-term liabilities	19,117	20,240	3,075	3,177	22,192	23,417		
Total liabilities	25,055	26,031	3,875	3,757	28,930	29,788		
Net Assets								
Invested in capital assets -								
Net of related debt	44,024	44,232	31,994	26,798	76,018	71,030		
Restricted	26,462	26,392	-	-	26,462	26,392		
Unrestricted	23,027	17,250	33,702	36,318	56,729	53,568		
Total net assets	\$ 93,513	\$ 87,874	\$ 65,696	\$ 63,116	\$ 159,209	\$ 150,990		

The County's combined net assets for both governmental and business-type activities total \$150.9 million for fiscal year 2006 and \$159.2 million for fiscal year 2007, this is an increase of \$8.2 million (5.4 percent) from 2006 to 2007. The increases are attributable to completion of the Livingston County airport expansion project, the septic receiving facility, and contributions to fund balance. Net assets are further segregated between restricted and unrestricted net assets. The restricted net assets are those assets that are restricted for a specific purpose/use and invested in capital assets. Unrestricted net assets are those net assets that can be used to finance day-to-day operations.

Management's Discussion and Analysis (Continued)

The following table shows the changes in net assets during the years ended December 31, 2007 and 2006 (in thousands of dollars):

	Governmental Activities					Business-type Activities				Total			
							2006, as						
	2	2007		2006		2007		restated		2007		2006	
Revenue													
Program revenue:													
Charges for services	\$	21, 4 28	\$	19,267	\$	5,933	\$	5, 4 81	\$	27,361	\$	24,748	
Operating grants													
and contributions		10,111		8,464		1,664		1,974		11,775		10,438	
Capital grants													
and contributions		-		1,657		1,318		10,967		1,318		12,624	
General revenue:													
Property taxes		31,623		38,148		-		-		31,623		38,148	
Unrestricted investment													
earnings		2,563		2,047		1,084		959		3,647		3,006	
Transfers and other revenue		2,394		2,431		(1,566)		(1,683)		828		748	
Total revenue		68,119		72,014		8,433		17,698		76,552		89,712	
Program Expenses													
General government		6,186		8,165		-		_		6,186		8,165	
Public safety		34,292		33,680		-		-		34,292		33,680	
Health and welfare		18,035		15,258		-		-		18,035		15,258	
Community and													
economic development		3,499		1,360		-		-		3,499		1,360	
Interest on long-term debt		468		701		-		-		468		701	
Building and safety		-		-		1,708		2,245		1,708		2,245	
Airport		-		-		1,244		2,498		1,244		2,498	
Livingston Essential													
Transportation Services		-		-		2,554		2,419		2,554		2,419	
Sewage receiving station		-		-		333		-		333		-	
Delinquent tax revolving funds			_			15		14		15		14	
Total program expenses		62,480		59,164		5,854		7,176		68,334		66,340	
Change in Net Assets	\$	5,639	\$	12,850	\$	2,579	\$	10,522	\$	8,218	\$	23,372	

Governmental Activities

Governmental activities are those activities (such as public safety, health and human services, and general governmental services) provided to the constituents of the County and supported by financing from property taxes and state-shared revenues.

Management's Discussion and Analysis (Continued)

The cost of providing services for governmental activities was \$62.5 million for fiscal year 2007. This is a 5.6 percent increase over the cost of providing services in 2006. The County expenditure policy has remained stable from 2006 to 2007 for the categories of public safety, health and welfare, general government, public works, and community and economic development. The reasons for the modest increase are expanded use of automation and competitive bid process for products/service, and more efficient/effective processes for service delivery.

The County's total governmental revenues decreased \$3.9 million from 2006 to 2007. This is a direct result of the amendment to the Revenue Sharing Act and Property Tax Act with full-funding of the Reserve Revenue Sharing Fund completed in 2006. Charges for services increased 9 percent from 2006 to 2007. This trend is caused by aggressive collection policies in the Courts, Sheriff's Office, and Ambulance Department. The County continues to review its revenue policy to ensure the proper balance between the use of tax revenues and user fees to support the cost of providing services.

Business-type Activities

Business-type activities are those activities that are financed primarily by charges for services or user fees. The County's business-type activities consist of the airport, building and safety department, Livingston essential transportation, and tax delinquent revolving fund; these types of operations are most similar to private businesses. A comparative analysis between fiscal years 2006 and 2007 shows that our net assets increased \$2.6 million; the majority of this increase is related to completion of the Livingston County Airport expansion project and the septage receiving station.

The Funds

Our analysis of the County's major funds begins on page 14, following the government-wide financial statements. The fund financial statements provide detail information about the most significant funds, not the County as a whole. This includes the General Fund, Ambulance Special Revenue Fund, Health Special Revenue Fund, 911 Service Special Revenue Fund, and Revenue Sharing Reserve Fund. The other nonmajor governmental funds are consolidated and reported under the column with that heading. The County Board creates funds to help manage money for specific purposes, as well as to show accountability for certain activities, such as special property tax millages, 911 surcharge, and restricted revenues from grants or fees.

The **General Fund** pays for the majority of the County's governmental services. The most significant are the Sheriff's Department, including the jail, the court system, and all of the elected officials' offices. The General Fund incurred costs of \$46.1 million in 2007, including an operating transfer of \$5.1 million to subsidize operations in other funds. This is an increase of 5 percent in providing services when compared to the amended budget for 2007. This is because of some one-time capital purchases, increased cost of fuel for both vehicles and utilities, labor contract settlement for the sheriff's office, and implementation of the wage study for Court employees.

Management's Discussion and Analysis (Continued)

The **Ambulance Fund** provides emergency medical response and is funded by a special tax levy (approximately 30 percent of total revenues) and charges for services (approximately 60 percent of total revenues). The cost of providing this service for 2007 was \$5.6 million. Fund balance increased \$1.06 million. These monies will be used in future years to enhance response time for the continuing increase in demand for services and a new ambulance headquarters.

The **Health Fund** provides a variety of health-related services in environmental health and personal protection services. Funding is provided through federal/state grants, charges for services, and an appropriation from the General Fund. The cost of providing this service for 2007 was \$3.94 million.

The **911 Service Fund** provides County-wide dispatch services. Funding is provided through the telephone surcharge. Public Act 29 of 1994 sunset on December 31, 2007. The replacement act goes into effect July 1, 2008, it provides for a uniform levy against all telecommunication devices within the County. The rate approved by the Board of Commissioners is \$1.85 per device. Payment will be received approximately 45 days after the end of each quarter; thereby, creating a cash flow problem. The cost of providing this service for 2007 was \$3.3 million.

The **Revenue Sharing Reserve Fund** is a fund mandated by the State to provide replacement funding for the temporary suspension of state shared-revenue. The County annually draws an amount equal to its state-shared revenue, (approximately \$2.8 million) until the fund is depleted. It is projected that this fund will be depleted in 2012, being the first year in which replacement monies from the reserve fund are less than the amount that would otherwise have been received in state-shared revenue payments. The County is skeptical that the State will have the financial resources to reinstate state-shared revenue as promised in Public Act 357.

Budgetary Highlights

Over the course of the year, the County board amended the budget to take into account events during the year. The following provides specific details regarding the amendments:

- During the year, the General Fund net budget amendments resulted in an increase of \$1.4 million, as follows:
 - Recognition of board actions regarding (1) recognition of position vacancy savings in various departments; (2) recommended budget amendments/transfers between departments presented at the Sheriff's calendarized budget meeting to maintain compliance with authorized budget; (3) general increases for the settlement of the deputies/correction officers, sergeants labor contracts and wage study for Court employees; and, (4) transfer of \$2.0 million of General Fund fund balance to: \$500,000 to Fund 677 Benefit Fund to cover projected unfunded healthcare costs; and \$1.5 million to Fund 466 Corrections Facility to mitigate the cost of a jail expansion.
 - Recognition of increases/decrease in grant revenues
 - Creation of a new General Fund department # 601 Health Department for the Livingston health plan

Management's Discussion and Analysis (Continued)

- During the year, Special Revenue Funds and Enterprise Funds Budgets were amendments as follows:
 - Creation of the Lutz County Park Fund budget
 - Amendments for capital purchases

Capital Asset and Debt Administration

At the end of 2007, the County had \$91.9 million invested in a broad array of capital assets, including buildings, land, emergency response equipment, vehicles, etc. These assets are necessary to carry out the day-to-day operations of the County. During the year, we completed the multi-million dollar airport expansion, and septage receiving station.

The County continues to sustain its excellent bond ratings with Moody's Aa2 rating and Standard & Poor's AA+ rating, thereby managing interest payments and reducing costs for infrastructure improvements. Additionally, the County is well within its legal debt limit of 10 percent of the state equalized valuation, utilizing less than 1.40 percent of that capacity. The majority of outstanding debt is for our component units: the drainage districts, Department of Public Works, and Road Commission. The County has pledged its full faith and credit to maintain low costs.

Economic Factors and Next Year's Budgets and Rates

Michigan's fiscal crisis continues and it is having a waterfall effect on all municipalities within the state. State revenues are at their lowest levels. State funding for education and local governments is in jeopardy. A majority of these reductions were self-inflicted. Enacted state tax cuts have eroded the State's ability to generate revenue; the State's fiscal reserves are depleted and the revenue forecasting committee continues to project annual deficits. Coupled with the weak national economy, credit crisis, the decline in the real estate market, increase in the foreclosure rates, and job losses creates challenges and opportunities for all government agencies.

As previously discussed, fiscal year 2007 signifies the end of business as usual. Major structural changes are necessary to ensure sustainability of our operations into the future. The County closely monitors reserve balances, revenues, and expenditures; we utilize a five-year financial forecasting model for early detection of bad revenue/expenditure policies and potential deficits. It is projected that the 2008 fiscal year will end with minimal use of reserves. Unfortunately, it is projected that Livingston County's tax revenues will decrease 4.5 percent in 2009, 2.0 percent in 2010; stabilize in 2011; and then begin a slow I percent increase in 2012 and 2013. Recovery will be slow because Proposal A limits the increase of taxable value to the rate of inflation or 5 percent whichever is lowest. The only certainty is a lot of uncertainty as Michigan tries to work through its seven straight years of a single state recession. Economists are continuously monitoring the U.S. economy as it pushes dangerously close to a recession. Given the current state of affairs, Livingston County must continue its history of sound financial performance and conservative budgeting practices.

Management's Discussion and Analysis (Continued)

Contacting the Administration

This financial report is intended to provide our citizens, taxpayers, customers, and investors with a general overview of the County's finances and to show the County's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional information, we welcome you to contact the County Administrator's office at (517) 546-3669.

Statement of Net Assets December 31, 2007

	G	overnmental	В	Business-type				Component
		Activities		Activities		Total		Units
Assets	_		_		_		_	
Cash and investments (Note 3)	\$	51,526,390	\$	21,278,969	\$	72,805,359	\$	8,465,668
Receivables:								
Taxes		4,406,134		10,299,070		14,705,204		-
Accounts		1,294,732		18,225		1,312,957		-
Leases		_		-		_		87,395,525
Other		-		1,882,833		1,882,833		4,971,828
Internal balances		54,521		(54,521)		-		-
Due from other governmental units		1,722,573		672,139		2,394,712		3,185,183
Inventories		-		72,395		72,395		1,191,609
Prepaid costs and other assets		1,097,399		242,871		1,340,270		-
Net pension asset (Note 11)		1,726,314		-		1,726,314		-
Capital assets not being depreciated								
(Note 4)		8,488,700		10,961,377		19,450,077		25,556,745
Capital assets being depreciated (Note 4)	_	48,250,663		24,197,583		72,448,246		96,265,147
Total assets		118,567,426		69,570,941		188,138,367		227,031,705
Liabilities								
Accounts payable		1,512,557		273,397		1,785,954		468,087
Accrued and other liabilities		2,002,551		354,477		2,357,028		2,090,643
Deferred tax revenue		4,527,016		_		4,527,016		_
Due to other governmental units		42,040		82,607		124,647		2,165,561
Long-term obligations (Note 6):		•		•		•		, ,
Due within one year		2,381,248		90,000		2,471,248		8,129,038
Due in more than one year		14,588,832		3,075,000		17,663,832	_	86,500,386
Total liabilities		25,054,244		3,875,481		28,929,725		99,353,715
Net Assets				_		_		
Invested in capital assets - Net of								
related debt		44,024,363		31,993,960		76,018,323		118,345,005
				31,773,760				116,343,003
Restricted (Note 7)		26,462,342		-		26,462,342		0 222 005
Unrestricted		23,026,477		33,701,500		56,727,977	_	9,332,985
Total net assets	\$	93,513,182	\$	65,695,460	<u>\$</u>	159,208,642	\$	127,677,990

		Program Revenues					
			Operating	Capital Grants			
		Charges for	Grants and	and			
	Expenses	Services	Contributions	Contributions			
		_					
Functions/Programs							
Primary government:							
Governmental activities:							
General government	\$ 6,185,666		\$ 545,259	\$ -			
Public safety	34,292,220		2,482,449	-			
Health and welfare	18,035,316		6,040,570	-			
Community and economic development	3,499,462	2,279,522	1,042,985	-			
Interest on long-term debt	467,785	<u> </u>					
Total governmental activities	62,480,449	21,427,971	10,111,263	-			
Business-type activities:							
Building and safety	1,707,834	1,598,655	_	-			
Airport	1,244,351		_	370,589			
Livingston Essential Transportation	, ,	,		•			
Service	2,554,083	378,220	1,664,262	947,922			
Sewage receiving station	333,252		-				
Delinquent tax revolving funds	15,193		_	_			
Definiquent tax revolving funds	13,173	2,701,300					
Total business-type activities	5,854,713	5,932,637	1,664,262	1,318,511			
Total primary government	\$ 68,335,162	\$ 27,360,608	\$11,775,525	\$ 1,318,511			
Component units:							
Drain Commission	\$ 4,135,204	\$ 2,912,490	\$ 1,072,028	\$ -			
Department of Public Works	6,073,379		-	-			
Road Commission	18,508,545		17,792,830	24,000			
Livingston County Foundation	10,000		277,242				
Total component units	\$ 28,727,128	\$ 6,877,145	\$ 19,142,100	\$ 24,000			

General revenues:

Property taxes

Gain on sale of fixed assets

Unrestricted investment earnings

Miscellaneous

Transfers

Total general revenues and transfers

Change in Net Assets

Net Assets - Beginning of year, as restated (Note 13)

Net Assets - End of year

Statement of Activities Year Ended December 31, 2007

Net (Expense)	Revenue and	Changes in	Net Assets
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INEL	Primary Governmen		722612
Governmental	Business-type	<u>-</u>	
Activities	Activities	Total	Component Units
Activities	Activities	Total	Component Onits
\$ (4,295,624)	\$ -	\$ (4,295,624)	\$ -
(20,191,213)	-	(20,191,213)	-
(5,809,638) (176,955)	=	(5,809,638) (176,955)	-
(467,785)	<u>-</u>	(467,785)	_
(107,703)		(107,703)	
(30,941,215)	-	(30,941,215)	-
-	(109,179)	(109,179)	-
-	38,749	38,749	-
-	436,321	436,321	_
-	(54,369)	(54,369)	_
	2,749,175	2,749,175	
	3,060,697	3,060,697	
(30,941,215)	3,060,697	(27,880,518)	-
<u>-</u>	-	<u>-</u>	(150,686)
-	-	-	(2,116,452)
-	-	-	(683,987)
-			267,242
-	-	-	(2,683,883)
31,622,990 -	<u>-</u>	31,622,990	-
2,563,377	1,083,583	3,646,960	426,307
828,627	-	828,627	243,532
1,565,713	(1,565,713)		12,047
36,580,707	(482,130)	36,098,577	681,886
5,639,492	2,578,567	8,218,059	(2,001,997)
87,873,690	63,116,893	150,990,583	129,679,987
\$ 93,513,182	\$ 65,695,460	\$ 159,208,642	\$ 127,677,990

Governmental Funds Balance Sheet December 31, 2007

		Seneral Fund	Am	bulance Fund	Health	Fund	911	Service Fund	enue Sharing serve Fund		ner Nonmajor rnmental Funds	Tot	al Governmental Funds
Assets													
Cash and investments	\$	15,970,013	\$	3,820,707	\$ 8	36,335	\$	2,771,808	\$ 15,107,586	\$	8,852,037	\$	47,358,486
Receivables:		1 0/1 000		2 421 222									4 202 041
Taxes Accounts		1,961,809 32,211		2,421,232 977,080		-		265.020	-		-		4,383,041 1,274,311
Prepaid costs and other assets		192.581		38.761				203,020	14.642		632.577		899.364
Due from other funds (Note 5)		82,524		50,701		_		-	- 11,012		24,324		106,848
Due from other governmental units		525,111		_	1.	55,194		71,122	_		971,146		1,722,573
Advance to other fund (Note 5)		376,979							 		218,913		595,892
Total assets	\$	19,141,228	\$	7,257,780	\$ 99	91,529	\$	3,128,753	\$ 15,122,228	\$	10,698,997	\$	56,340,515
Liabilities and Fund Balances													
Liabilities													
Accounts payable	\$	536,097	\$	64,218	\$	6,634	\$	264,974	\$ -	\$	326,870	\$	1,198,793
Accrued and other liabilities		1,270,030		160,079		87,157		69,583	-		17,210		1,604,059
Due to other funds (Note 5)		86,500		-		-		-	-		6,744		93,244
Due to other governmental units		6,171		-		-		-	-		35,869		42,040
Advance from other fund (Note 5)		-		-		04,372		-	-		58,086		362,458
Deferred revenue		1,590,365	_	2,421,232	-	59,728	_		 	_	1,000,950	_	5,072,275
Total liabilities		3,489,163		2,645,529	4.	57,891		334,557	-		1,445,729		8,372,869
Fund Balances													
Reserved (Note 9)		569,560		-		-		-	15,122,228		102,195		15,793,983
Unreserved, reported in: General Fund		15,082,505											15,082,505
Special Revenue Funds		13,082,303		4,612,251	5	33,638		2,794,196	-		4,192,026		12,132,111
Capital Projects Funds - Designated		-		-	-	-		-	-		4,959,047		4,959,047
											.,,		.,,
Total fund balances		15,652,065	-	4,612,251	5	33,638	-	2,794,196	 15,122,228		9,253,268		47,967,646
Total liabilities and fund balances	\$	19,141,228	\$	7,257,780	\$ 99	91,529	\$	3,128,753	\$ 15,122,228	\$	10,698,997		
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the sta													
Capital assets used in governmental activities are no	t financ	ial resources and	are n	ot reported in									
the funds													56,037,107
Long-term liabilities are not due and payable in the			ot rep	orted in the fu	nds								(14,757,963)
Interest expense payable is not accrued in the gover Compensated absences are not included as a liability													(64,215) (2,066,627)
Grant receivables in governmental activities are not			re no	t available to n	av for								(2,066,627)
current year expenditures	mancia	r resources and a	11 6 110	t available to p	ay ioi								545.259
Net pension asset is not included as an asset of the	funds												1,726,314
Personal property taxes receivable in governmental		s are not financia	al resc	urces and are	not report	ed							
in the funds					•								23,092
Net self-insurance liabilities are not reported in the	funds												(196,563)
Internal Service Funds are included as part of govern	nmental	activities											4,299,132
Net assets of governmental activities												\$	93,513,182

Governmental Funds Statement of Revenue, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances Year Ended December 31, 2007

							Other	
							Nonmajor	Total
		Α	mbulance		911 Service	Revenue Sharing	Governmental	Governmental
	General Fund		Fund	Health Fund	Fund	Reserve Fund	Funds	Funds
Revenue								
Taxes	\$ 29,501,508	\$	2,269,738	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 31,771,246
Licenses and permits	325,269		-	165,363	-	-	-	490,632
Federal sources	1,784,068		-	1,270,008	39,365	-	2,300,387	5,393,828
Contributions from local units	1,056,626		-	-	-	-	636,976	1,693,602
State sources	2,241,796		-	837,607	281,201	-	2,111,297	5,471,901
Charges for services	7,024,287		4,144,268	1,393,722	3,296,804	-	754,381	16,613,462
Fines and forfeitures	417,940		-	-	-	-	-	417,940
Interest and rent	1,298,785		194,342	-	131,378	574,889	342,892	2,542,286
Other	1,397,399	_	5,178				266,032	1,668,609
Total revenue	45,047,678		6,613,526	3,666,700	3,748,748	574,889	6,411,965	66,063,506
Expenditures								
Current:								
General government	4,985,017		-	-	-	-	-	4,985,017
Public safety:								
Court systems	12,121,818		-	-	-	-	-	12,121,818
Sheriff and jail	15,413,866		-	-	3,322,695	-	-	18,736,561
Other public safety	1,537,200		-	-	-	-	517,666	2,054,866
Economic development	4,255,843		-	-	-	-	390,486	4,646,329
Health and welfare	2,714,103		5,586,937	3,942,420	-	-	5,295,060	17,538,520
Capital outlay	-		-	-	-	-	46,745	46,745
Principal on debt service	-		-	-	-	-	1,725,000	1,725,000
Interest on debt service							535,185	535,185
Total expenditures	41,027,847		5,586,937	3,942,420	3,322,695		8,510,142	62,390,041
Excess of Revenue Over (Under)								
Expenditures	4,019,831		1,026,589	(275,720)	426,053	574,889	(2,098,177)	3,673,465
Other Financing Sources (Uses)								
Operating transfers in (Note 5)	2,792,862		-	396,605	-	-	5,680,907	8,870,374
Operating transfers out (Note 5)	(5,098,299)					(2,757,592)	(90,440)	(7,946,331)
Total other financing								
(uses) sources	(2,305,437)			396,605		(2,757,592)	5,590,467	924,043
Net Change in Fund Balances	1,714,394		1,026,589	120,885	426,053	(2,182,703)	3,492,290	4,597,508
Fund Balances - Beginning of year	13,937,671		3,585,662	412,753	2,368,143	17,304,931	5,760,978	43,370,138
Fund Balances - End of year	\$ 15,652,065	\$	4,612,251	\$ 533,638	\$ 2,794,196	\$ 15,122,228	\$ 9,253,268	\$ 47,967,646

Governmental Funds

Reconciliation of the Statement of Revenue, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances of Governmental Funds to the Statement of Activities Year Ended December 31, 2007

Net Change in Fund Balances - Total Governmental Funds	\$ 4,597,508
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities are different because:	
Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures; in the statement of activities, these costs are allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation:	
Capital outlay	823,850
Depreciation	(2,648,244)
Repayment of bond principal and other long-term obligations is an expenditure in the governmental funds, but not in the	
statement of activities (where it reduces long-term debt)	2,010,768
Governmental funds report revenue when it is available:	
in the statement of activities, revenues are reported	
when they have been earned	545,259
Increase in accumulated employee sick and vacation pay is recorded when earned in the statement of activities	(511,315)
Decrease in accrued interest payable is recorded on the	
statement of activities	67,262
Increase in net self-insurance liability is recorded	
as an expense on the statement of activities	(67,012)
Internal Service Funds are also included as governmental	
activities	938,182
Decrease in delinquent personal property taxes is included	
in the statement of activities	(57,896)
Decrease in net pension asset is recorded in the statement of activities	(58,870)
activities	 (30,070)
Change in Net Assets of Governmental Activities	\$ 5,639,492

	Enterprise Funds							
				Major Funds				
		uilding and afety Fund	Ai	rport Fund		elinquent Tax evolving Fund		
Accepte				. ролог а				
Assets Current assets:								
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	2,344,057	\$	557,644	\$	18,196,142		
Tax receivable	Ψ	-	Ψ	-	Ψ	10,299,070		
Accounts receivable		_		18,340		1,882,833		
Due from other governmental units		_		-		136,560		
Due from other funds (Note 5)		_		_		17,112		
Inventories		13,006		33,749		-		
Prepaid costs and other assets		16,753		20,156		192,041		
•								
Total current assets		2,373,816		629,889		30,723,758		
Noncurrent assets:								
Advances to other funds (Note 5)		-		-		2,402,186		
Capital assets (Note 4)		4,582		28,921,795				
Total noncurrent assets		4,582		28,921,795		2,402,186		
Total assets		2,378,398		29,551,684		33,125,944		
Liabilities								
Current liabilities:								
Accounts payable		2,634		23,393		32,887		
Accrued and other liabilities		109,905		126,203		-		
Due to other funds (Note 5)		-		57,112		-		
Due to other governmental units		-		82,026		581		
Current portion of long-term debt (Note 6)								
Total current liabilities		112,539		288,734		33,468		
Noncurrent liabilities:								
Advances from other funds (Note 5)		_		2,416,707		_		
Long-term debt - Net of current portion (Note 6)								
Total noncurrent liabilities				2,416,707				
Total liabilities		112,539		2,705,441		33,468		
Net Assets								
Investment in capital assets - Net of related debt		4,582		28,921,795		-		
Unrestricted		2,261,277		(2,075,552)		33,092,476		
Total net assets	\$	2,265,859	\$	26,846,243	\$	33,092,476		
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Proprietary Funds Statement of Net Assets December 31, 2007

	Nonmaj	or Funds		
	Livingston			
	Essential			
Tra	ansportation	Septage	Total Enterprise	Internal Service
	Service	Receiving Station	Funds	Funds
\$	(75,765)	\$ 256,891	\$ 21,278,969	\$ 4,103,475
•	-	-	10,299,070	20,352
	_	327	1,901,500	,
	535,580	-	672,140	_
	-	_	17,112	86,500
	25,640	_	72,395	-
	13,478	_	242,428	198,105
-	<u> </u>		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
	498,933	257,218	34,483,614	4,408,432
	_	_	2,402,186	_
	2,885,841	3,346,742	35,158,960	702,256
	2,000,011	3,5 10,7 12		702,230
	2,885,841	3,346,742	37,561,146	702,256
	3,384,774	3,603,960	72,044,760	5,110,688
	51,701	162,782	273,397	313,763
	96,769	21,600	354,477	218,776
	-	-	57,112	60,104
	-	-	82,607	-
		90,000	90,000	
	140 470	274 202	057 503	E02 (42
	148,470	274,382	857,593	592,643
	_	-	2,416,707	218,913
		3,075,000	3,075,000	
		3,075,000	5 401 707	218,913
		3,073,000	5,491,707	210,713
_	148,470	3,349,382	6,349,300	811,556
	2,885,841	181,742	31,993,960	702,256
	350,463	72,836	33,701,500	3,596,876
_				
<u>\$</u>	3,236,304	<u>\$ 254,578</u>	\$ 65,695,460	\$ 4,299,132

	Enterprise Funds					
			Ma	ijor Funds		
	В	Building and			De	linquent Tax
	Safety Fund		Air	port Fund	Revolving Fund	
Operating Revenue						
Charges for services	\$	1,598,655	\$	912,511	\$	751,616
Penalties and interest		-		=		1,943,002
Other revenue						69,750
Total operating revenue		1,598,655		912,511		2,764,368
Operating Expenses						
Personnel		1,339,608		231,161		-
Operating expenses		366,393		556,241		_
Depreciation expense		1,833		383,956		-
Other expenses		_		-		15,193
Gain on sale of fixed assets						
Total operating expenses	_	1,707,834		1,171,358		15,193
Operating Income (Loss)		(109,179)		(258,847)		2,749,175
Nonoperating Revenue (Expenses)						
Interest earnings		112,644		2,969		938,590
Federal and state operating subsidies		-		-		-
State planning grant		-		-		-
Interest expense	_	-		(72,993)		-
Total nonoperating revenue (expenses)	_	112,644		(70,024)		938,590
Income (Loss) - Before transfers and contributions		3,465		(328,871)		3,687,765
Operating Transfers In (Note 5)		-		-		-
Operating Transfers Out (Note 5)	_					(1,565,713)
Net Income (Loss) - Before capital contributions		3,465		(328,871)		2,122,052
Capital Contributions	_			370,589		
Change in Net Assets		3,465		41,718		2,122,052
Net Assets - January 1, 2007, as restated (Note 13)		2,262,394		26,804,525		30,970,424
Net Assets - December 31, 2007	\$	2,265,859	\$ 2	6,846,243	\$:	33,092,476

Proprietary Funds Statement of Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets Year Ended December 31, 2007

		Enterprise Funds				
	•	or Funds	•			
Livingsto						
Essentia	.[
Transporta	tion	Septage	Tot	al Enterprise	Int	ernal Service
Service		Receiving Station		Funds		Funds
\$ 304	,672	\$ 276,733	\$	3,844,187	\$	13,353,687
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73	,548	2,150		145,448		_
	,			<u> </u>		
378	,220	278,883		5,932,637		13,353,687
1,440	,888,	-		3,011,657		9,304,288
527	,380	-		1,450,014		3,335,336
	,051	91,275		745,115		421,020
317	,764	112,379		445,336		-
	_			-		(3,469)
2,554	,083	203,654		5,652,122		13,057,175
(2,175	,863)	75,229		280,515		296,512
	_	29,380		1,083,583		-
1,676	,337	-		1,676,337		-
(12	,075)	-		(12,075)		-
		(129,598)		(202,591)		<u>-</u>
1,664	,262	(100,218)		2,545,254		
(511	,601)	(24,989)		2,825,769		296,512
	-	-		-		641,670
				(1,565,713)	_	
(511	,601)	(24,989)		1,260,056		938,182
947	,922			1,318,511	_	
436	,321	(24,989)		2,578,567		938,182
2,799	,983	279,567		63,116,893		3,360,950
\$ 3,236,	304	\$ 254,578	\$ (65,695,460	\$	4,299,132

			Ent	erprise Func	ls	
			۲	lajor Funds		
		uilding and afety Fund	Aiı	port Fund		elinquent Tax evolving Fund
Cash Flows from Operating Activities						
Receipts from customers	\$	1,598,655	\$	1,539,932	\$	(1,368,992)
Receipts from other funds		(274.007)		(022.020)		31,902
Payments to suppliers Payments to employees		(374,897) (1,324,421)		(933,830) (243,851)		(28,594)
Internal activity - Payments to other funds		(1,327,721)		(30,434)		-
, ,			_			
Net cash (used in) provided by operating activities		(100,663)		331,817		(1,365,684)
Cash Flows from Capital and Related Financing Activities						
Capital contributions		-		-		-
Proceeds from sale of assets Purchase of capital assets		-		-		-
Interest paid		-		(72,993)		-
Debt service				(23,627)		
Net each manifeld by ((read in) eacited and unleted						
Net cash provided by (used in) capital and related financing activities		-		(96,620)		_
Cash Flows from Investing Activities - Interest received on				(, ,		
investments		112,644		2,969		938,590
Cash Flows from Noncapital Financing Activities						
Federal and state operating subsidies		-		-		-
Transfers out		-		-		(1,565,713)
Transfers in	_					
Net cash (used in) provided by noncapital financing activities	_		_			(1,565,713)
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents		11,981		238,166		(1,992,807)
Cash and Cash Equivalents - Beginning of year		2,332,076		319,478		20,188,949
Cash and Cash Equivalents - End of year	\$	2,344,057	\$	557,644	\$	18,196,142
Reconciliation of Operating Income (Loss) to Net Cash						
from Operating Activities						
Operating income (loss)	\$	(109,179)	\$	(258,847)	\$	2,749,175
Adjustments to reconcile operating income (loss) to net cash						
from operating activities: Depreciation and amortization		1,833		383,956		_
Bad debt expense		-		42,906		-
Gain on sale of fixed assets		-		-		-
Changes in assets and liabilities:						
Accounts receivable		-		(760)		(557,527)
Delinquent tax receivables		-		-		(3,507,190)
Due from other funds		-		14,593		13,125
Due from other governmental units		- (1.554)		585,275		(68,521)
Inventory		(1,554)		(5,238)		- 10 77 <i>6</i>
Long-term advance receivable Other assets		(6,926)		(381,454)		18,776 (34,868)
Accounts payable		(24)		9,103		21,467
Long-term advance payable		(Z 1)		(18,777)		-1,107
Due to other funds		_		-		-
Due to other governmental units		-		(26,250)		(121)
Accrued and other liabilities		15,187		(12,690)		
Net cash (used in) provided by operating activities	\$	(100,663)	\$	331,817	\$	(1,365,684)

Noncash Financing Activities - During the year ended December 31, 2007, various governmental entities contributed capital assets with a value of \$370,589 to the Airport.

Proprietary Funds Statement of Cash Flows Year Ended December 31, 2007

Nonmajo	r Fui	nds				
gston Essential ransportation Service	Rec	Septage eiving Station	En	Total terprise Funds		Internal Service Funds
\$ 378,220	\$	278,883	\$	2,426,698	\$	-
-		-		31,902		13,486,734
(853,874)		(361,208)		(2,552,403)		(3,456,119)
(1,411,121)		<u> </u>		(2,979,393) (30,434)	_	(9,260,260)
(1,886,775)		(82,325)		(3,103,630)		770,355
817,089		-		817,089		-
-		-		-		55,487
(590,889)		(1,313,612)		(1,904,501)		(364,999)
-		(129,598)		(202,591) (23,627)		-
					-	_
226,200		(1,443,210)		(1,313,630)		(309,512)
-		29,380		1,083,583		-
1,664,262		_		1,664,262		-
-		-		(1,565,713)		-
 -		-			_	641,670
 1,664,262		<u>-</u>		98,549		641,670
3,687		(1,496,155)		(3,235,128)		1,102,513
 (79,452)		1,753,046		24,514,097		3,000,962
\$ (75,765)	\$	256,891	\$	21,278,969	\$	4,103,475
\$ (2,175,863)	\$	75,229	\$	280,515	\$	296,512
268,051		91,275		745,115		421,020
-		-		42,906		-
						(3,469)
-		-		-		
-		-		(558,287)		66
- - -		- - -		(3,507,190)		-
- - -		- - -		(3,507,190) 27,718		66 - (26,500)
- - - - (10.831)		- - - - -		(3,507,190) 27,718 516,754		-
- - - - - (10,831)		- - - -		(3,507,190) 27,718		-
(1,933)		- - - - - 22,517		(3,507,190) 27,718 516,754 (17,623) 18,776 (402,664)		- (26,500) - - - - (121,108)
` - ´		- - - - - - 22,517 (323,940)		(3,507,190) 27,718 516,754 (17,623) 18,776 (402,664) (289,360)		(26,500) - - - (121,108) 20,021
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Fiduciary Funds Statement of Net Assets December 31, 2007

	Other Employee Benefit Trust	
	Fund	Agency Funds
Assets		
Cash	\$ -	\$ 2,922,914
Mutual funds	6,841,303	-
Accrued interest receivable		7,423
Total assets	6,841,303	\$ 2,930,337
Liabilities		
Due to other governmental units	-	\$ 686,090
Other liabilities		2,244,247
Total liabilities	<u> </u>	\$ 2,930,337
Net Assets - Held in trust for employee benefits	\$ 6,841,303	

Fiduciary Funds Statement of Changes in Net Assets Year Ended December 31, 2007

	Other Employee Benefit Trust Fund
Additions	
Investment income:	
Interest and dividends	\$ 124,582
Net increase in fair value of investments	247,457
Less investment expenses	(59,253)
Net investment income	312,786
Contributions	1,394,282
Total additions	1,707,068
Net Assets Held in Trust for Employee Benefits	
Beginning of year	5,134,235
End of year	\$ 6,841,303

Component Units Statement of Net Assets December 31, 2007

	Drain	Department of	Road	,	
	Commission	Public Works	Commission	Commission Foundation	
Assets					
Cash and investments	\$ 3,317,138	\$ 2,161,556	\$ 2,696,497	\$ 290,477	\$ 8,465,668
Special assessments receivable	4,143,639	-	123,124	-	4,266,763
Leases receivable from local units	28,790,525	58,605,000	, -	_	87,395,525
Due from other governmental units	880,012	35,237	2,269,934	_	3,185,183
Interest and other receivables	328,464	347,306	29,295	-	705,065
Inventories	, -	, -	1,191,609	-	1,191,609
Capital assets (Note 4)	2,996,473	217,128	118,608,291		121,821,892
Total assets	40,456,251	61,366,227	124,918,750	290,477	227,031,705
Liabilities					
Accounts payable	166,656	155,787	145,644	-	468,087
Retainages payable	-	518,122	-	-	518,122
Due to other governmental units	908,424	1,232,669	24,468	-	2,165,561
Other current liabilities	1,089,665	338,954	143,902	-	1,572,521
Long-term debt:					
Due within one year (Note 6)	3,389,194	3,475,000	1,264,844	-	8,129,038
Due in more than one year (Note 6)	28,757,269	55,130,000	2,613,117		86,500,386
Total liabilities	34,311,208	60,850,532	4,191,975	-	99,353,715
Net Assets					
Invested in capital assets - Net of					
related debt	2,996,473	217,128	115,131,404	_	118,345,005
Unrestricted	3,148,570	298,567	5,595,371	290,477	9,332,985
Total net assets	\$ 6,145,043	\$ 515,695	\$ 120,726,775	\$ 290,477	\$ 127,677,990

			Program Revenues					
		Expenses		Charges for Services	-	erating Grants/ Contributions	-	ital Grants/ ntributions
Drain Commission - Public works	\$	4,135,204	\$	2,912,490	\$	1,072,028	\$	-
Department of Public Works - Public works		6,073,379		3,956,927		-		-
Road Commission - Public works		18,508,545		7,728		17,792,830		24,000
Livingston County Foundation - Recreation		10,000				277,242		
Total governmental activities	<u>\$</u>	28,727,128	<u>\$</u>	6,877,145	<u>\$</u>	19,142,100	<u>\$</u>	24,000

General revenues:

Gain on disposition of fixed assets

Miscellaneous

Interest

Change in Net Assets

Net Assets - Beginning of year, as restated (Note 13)

Net Assets - End of year

Component Units Statement of Activities Year Ended December 31, 2007

Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Assets

5 .	5					
Drain	Department of		Livingston County			
 Commission	Public Works	Road Commission	Foundation	Total		
\$ (150,686)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ (150,686)		
-	(2,116,452)	-	-	(2,116,452)		
-	-	(683,987)	-	(683,987)		
 			267,242	267,242		
(150,686)	(2,116,452)	(683,987)	267,242	(2,683,883)		
-	-	243,532	-	243,532		
 129,875	113,833	171,507	12,047	12,047 426,307		
(20,811)	(2,002,619)	(268,948)	290,381	(2,001,997)		
 6,165,854	2,518,314	120,995,723	96	129,679,987		
\$ 6,145,043	\$ 515,695	\$ 120,726,775	\$ 290,477	\$ 127,677,990		

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2007

Note I - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The accounting policies of Livingston County, Michigan (the "County") conform to accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP) as applicable to governmental units. The following is a summary of the significant accounting policies used by the County:

Reporting Entity

The County was organized in 1836 and operates under an elected board of commissioners consisting of nine members. The County provides services to its residents in the areas of public safety, including law enforcement and administration of justice, economic development, general government, and human services.

The accompanying financial statements present the County and its component units, entities for which the County is considered to be financially accountable. Blended component units, although legally separate entities, are, in substance, part of the County's operations. The discretely presented component units are reported in a separate column to emphasize that they are legally separate from the County.

Blended Component Units - The Building Authority is governed by a five-member board that is appointed by the County Board of Commissioners. Although legally separate from the County, the Building Authority is reported as part of the primary government because its sole purpose is to finance and construct the County's public buildings.

The following component units are presented discretely from the County:

Drain Commission Boards - Each of the drainage districts established pursuant to the Drain Code of 1956 are separate legal entities, with the power to contract, to sue and be sued, to hold, manage, and dispose of real and personal property, etc. The drainage board or drain commissioner, on behalf of the drainage district, may issue debt and levy special assessments authorized by the Drain Code without the prior approval of the County Board of Commissioners. The full faith and credit of the County may be given for the debt of the drainage district.

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2007

Note I - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

Department of Public Works - Pursuant to Michigan Compiled Law 123.732, the County has entered into a program of water supply and sanitary sewer facility construction. The Department of Public Works is under the general control of the County Board of Commissioners and under the immediate control of the Board of Public Works, which includes the County Drain Commissioner. The Board of Public Works is considered an agency of the County. The Board of Public Works manages water supply and sanitary sewer system construction projects that are bonded by the County. Bonds issued are authorized by an ordinance or a resolution approved by the Board of Public Works and adopted by the County Board of Commissioners.

Road Commission - The County Road Commission, which is established pursuant to the County Road Law (MCL 224.1), is governed by the appointed three-member Board of County Road Commissioners. The Road Commission may not issue debt or levy a tax without the approval of the County Board of Commissioners.

Livingston County Foundation - The Livingston County Foundation (the "Foundation"), established as a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit entity, is governed by a seven-member board with two members being personnel of Livingston County, one member appointed by two County personnel, one member being a current member of the Livingston County Board of Commissioners, and the remaining three members being appointed by the Livingston County Board of Commissioners. The Foundation is to be used for the enhancements of the Lutz County Park and for the development and maintenance of the Fillmore Estate, the Owen J. Lutz and Florence B. Lutz Conference Center, and for any other designation by the contributor.

Government-wide and Fund Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements (i.e., the statement of net assets and the statement of activities) report information on all of the nonfiduciary activities of the primary government and its component units. For the most part, the effect of interfund activity has been removed from these statements. Governmental activities, normally supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues, are reported separately from business-type activities, which rely to a significant extent on fees and charges for support. Likewise, the primary government is reported separately from certain legally separate component units for which the primary government is financially accountable.

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2007

Note I - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

The statement of activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function or segment are offset by program revenues. Direct expenses are those that are clearly identifiable with a specific function or activity. Program revenues include (I) charges to customers or applicants who purchase, use, or directly benefit from goods, services, or privileges provided by a given function or segment; and (2) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function or segment. Taxes and other items not properly included among program revenues are reported instead as general revenue.

Separate financial statements are provided for governmental funds, proprietary funds, and fiduciary funds, even though the latter are excluded from the government-wide financial statements. Major individual governmental funds and major individual Enterprise Funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements.

Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting, and Financial Statement Presentation

The government-wide financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting, as are the proprietary fund and fiduciary fund financial statements. Revenue is recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Property taxes are recognized as revenue in the year for which they are levied, except for property taxes, which are required to be recorded in the Revenue Sharing Reserve Fund as mandated by the State. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenue is recognized as soon as it is both measurable and available. Revenue is considered to be available if it is collected within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the County considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting. However, debt service expenditures, expenditures relating to compensated absences, and claims and judgments are recorded only when payment is due.

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2007

Note I - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

All governmental funds and Agency Funds utilize the modified accrual basis of accounting. The component units record day-to-day activity using the modified accrual basis of accounting but report on the full accrual basis of accounting. The Enterprise Funds utilize the full accrual basis of accounting. Modifications in such method from the accrual basis are as follows:

- Property taxes and other revenue that are both measurable and available for use to finance operations for the County are recorded as revenue when earned.
- Other revenue is recorded when received.
- Properties are assessed as of December 31. The related general operating property taxes are billed on July I and become a lien at that time. All other County property taxes are billed on December I of the following year and become a lien at that time. These taxes are due on August 31 and February 14, respectively, with a final collection date of February 28 before they are added to the County tax rolls.
- Property taxes are levied to finance the current year's operations, and are recorded as a revenue and receivable in their respective funds on July I. Each year, the Revenue Sharing Reserve Fund will transfer an amount equal to the County's revenue-sharing allocation to finance the current year's operations.

Private sector standards of accounting issued prior to December 1, 1989 are generally followed in both the government-wide and proprietary fund financial statements to the extent that those standards do not conflict with the standards of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. The County has elected not to follow private sector standards issued after November 30, 1989 for its business-type activities.

As a general rule, the effect of interfund activity has been eliminated from the government-wide financial statements. Exceptions to this general rule are charges between the County's enterprise functions and various other functions of the County. Eliminations of these charges would distort the direct costs and program revenues reported for the various functions concerned.

Proprietary funds distinguish operating revenue and expenses from nonoperating items. The principal operating revenue of the proprietary funds relates to charges to customers for sales and services. Operating expenses for the proprietary funds include the cost of sales and services, administrative expenses, and depreciation on capital assets. All revenues and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as nonoperating revenue and expenses. When both restricted and unrestricted resources are available for use, it is the County's policy to use restricted resources first, then unrestricted resources as they are needed.

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2007

Note I - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

The County reports the following major governmental funds:

General Fund - The General Fund is the County's primary operating fund. It accounts for all financial resources of the general government, except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

Ambulance Special Revenue Fund - The Ambulance Special Revenue Fund accounts for all of the activities of the County's ambulance department.

Health Special Revenue Fund - The Health Special Revenue Fund accounts for a variety of health-related services provided by the County to its residents, for both environmental health and personal protection services.

911 Service Special Revenue Fund - The 911 Service Special Revenue Fund accounts for the operation of the 911 system and the Enhance 911 for wireless service activities.

Revenue Sharing Reserve Fund - The Revenue Sharing Reserve Fund is a mandatory fund restricted for replacing state-shared revenues that have been suspended. The source of the replacement funding was the gradual shift from a winter tax levy to a summer tax levy. One-third of the County's December 2004 property tax levy was placed in the fund from the December 2004, 2005, and 2006 property tax levies, as required by State regulations.

The County reports the following major proprietary funds:

Building and Safety Fund - The Building and Safety Fund accounts for revenues earmarked for building construction code enforcement activities.

Airport Fund - The Airport Fund accounts for the operations of the rural airport located in the County. The primary revenue source is charges for services and grant monies for the airport expansion.

Delinquent Tax Revolving Fund - The Delinquent Tax Revolving Fund accounts for the purchase of delinquent tax rolls from the County's local units. Interest and penalties received within the collection of these receivables are the Delinquent Tax Revolving Fund's primary source of revenue.

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2007

Note I - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

Additionally, the County reports the following funds:

Special Revenue Funds - Special Revenue Funds account for the revenues and expenditures related to job training services, child care services, family counseling, Friend of the Court, Small Cities Community Development Block Grant, survey and remonumentation, drug law enforcement activities, prosecutor's drug enforcement, criminal and OUIL forfeitures, Law and County Library Funds, community corrections, social welfare, soldiers and sailors relief, Veterans Trust Fund, register of deeds, Local Law Enforcement Block Grant activities, Homestead Property Exemption Fund, Correction Officer's Training, Lutz County Park, and Community Development Block Grant/OLSHA funds.

Debt Service Funds - Debt Service Funds account for the debt retirement activity of the governmental activities of the County for the Road Commission refunding bonds issued in 1995 and 2001, mental health bonds issued in 1999, 2000, and 2002, building improvement bonds issued for various capital projects of the County, and the Building Authority Mental Health Fund.

Capital Projects Funds - Capital Projects Funds account for the development of capital facilities and equipment other than those financed by the operation of a proprietary fund. These projects include the construction of the mobile command unit, jail expansion, courthouse improvements, administration building renovations, other capital improvements of the County, and the West Complex Construction Grant.

Permanent Funds - Permanent Funds account for the maintenance and care of the cemetery.

Enterprise Funds - Enterprise Funds account for building and safety, airport, delinquent tax, Livingston Essential Transportation Services, and septage receiving station revenues collected from users and expenses related to operations.

Internal Service Funds - Internal Service Funds account for building services, information technology, carpool, and benefit services provided to other departments of the government on a cost reimbursement basis.

Trust Funds - The Other Employee Benefits Trust Fund accounts for the activities of the Post Employment Healthcare Trust Fund, which accumulates resources for healthcare benefit payments for qualified employees.

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2007

Note I - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

Agency Funds - Agency Funds are used to account for assets held by the County as an agent for individuals, organizations, other governments, or other funds. Agency Funds are custodial in nature (assets equal liabilities) and do not involve the measurement of results of operations.

Assets, Liabilities, and Net Assets or Equity

Cash and Investments - Cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand, demand deposits, and short-term investments with a maturity of three months or less when acquired. Investments are stated at fair value.

Receivables and Payables - In general, outstanding balances between funds are reported as "due to/from other funds." Activity between funds that is representative of lending/borrowing arrangements outstanding at the end of the fiscal year is referred to as "advances to/from other funds." Any residual balances outstanding between the governmental activities and the business-type activities are reported in the government-wide financial statements as "internal balances."

All trade and property tax receivables are shown as net of allowance for uncollectible amounts. Property taxes are levied on each July I and December I on the taxable valuation of property as of the preceding December 31. Taxes are considered delinquent on March I of the following year, at which time penalties and interest are assessed.

The 2006 taxable valuation of the County totaled \$8.35 billion, on which ad valorem taxes levied December 1, 2006 consisted of 0.2799 mills for ambulance operating purposes. On July 1, 2007, the general operating millage for the 2007 fiscal year, or 3.3897 mills, was levied on the 2007 taxable valuation of \$8.79 billion for general operating purposes. The ad valorem taxes raised were approximately \$29.5 million for general operations and \$2.3 million for ambulance operations. These amounts are recorded in their respective funds as tax revenue. The amount recorded as revenue includes other miscellaneous revenue and other tax-related items and is net of amounts distributed to local DDAs and TIFAs.

Inventories and Prepaid Costs - Inventories are valued at cost, on a first-in, first-out basis. Inventories of governmental funds are recorded as expenditures when consumed rather than when purchased. Certain payments to vendors reflect costs applicable to future fiscal years and are recorded as prepaid items in both government-wide and fund financial statements.

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2007

Note I - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

Capital Assets - Capital assets, which include property, buildings, furniture, vehicles, machinery, and equipment, are reported in the applicable governmental or business-type activities column in the government-wide financial statements. Capital assets are defined by the County as assets with an initial individual cost of more than \$10,000 and an estimated useful life in excess of one year. Such assets are recorded at historical cost or estimated historical cost if purchased or constructed. Donated capital assets are recorded at estimated fair market value at the date of donation.

Buildings, furniture, vehicles, machinery, and equipment are depreciated using the straight-line method over the following useful lives:

Buildings	33 to 50 years
Improvements other than buildings	20 to 40 years
Equipment and furniture	3 to 10 years
Machinery and equipment	5 to 20 years
Vehicles	5 to 10 years

Compensated Absences - The County allows employees to accumulate earned but unused sick and vacation pay benefits. The government-wide and proprietary statements accrue all vacation and personal pay as it is earned. Sick pay is accrued according to management estimates of individuals who are eligible for benefits upon termination or retirement. An expenditure for these amounts is reported in governmental funds as it comes due for payment (when the time is taken off or employees terminate).

Long-term Obligations - In the government-wide financial statements and the proprietary fund types in the fund financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities in the applicable governmental activities, business-type activities, or proprietary fund-type statement of net assets. Bond premiums and discounts, as well as issuance costs, are deferred and amortized over the life of the bonds using the effective interest method. Bonds payable are reported net of the applicable bond premium or discount. Bond issuance costs are reported as deferred charges and amortized over the term of the related debt. In the fund financial statements, governmental fund types recognize bond premiums and discounts, as well as bond issuance costs during the current period. The face amount of debt issued is reported as other financing sources. Premiums received on debt issuances are reported as other financing sources while discounts are reported as other financing uses. Issuance costs are reported as debt service expenditures.

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2007

Note I - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

Fund Equity - In the fund financial statements, governmental funds report reservations of fund balance for amounts that are not available for appropriation or are legally restricted by outside parties for use for a specific purpose. Designations of fund balance represent tentative management plans that are subject to change.

Use of Estimates - The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Note 2 - Stewardship, Compliance, and Accountability

Budgetary Information - Annual budgets are adopted for the General Fund and all Special Revenue Funds in compliance with the State Budget Act. The budget is prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, with the following exceptions:

- Operating transfers have been included in the "revenue" and "expenditure" categories, rather than "other financing sources (uses)."
- Reimbursements from other funds have been included in revenue, rather than a reduction of expenditures.

Any expenditures that exceed the budget must be approved by the County Board of Commissioners through a budget amendment. The County Board of Commissioners approves budget amendments with the exception that the County Administrator has the authority to make interdepartmental line-item transfers that are less than \$10,000.

During the year, the General Fund budget was amended for the following:

Recognition of board actions regarding (I) recognition of position vacancy savings in various departments; (2) recommended budget amendments/transfers between departments presented at the Sheriff's calendarized budget meeting to maintain compliance with authorized budget; (3) general increases for the settlement of the Deputies/Correction Officers, Sergeants labor contracts and wage study for court employees; and, (4) transfer of \$2.0 million of General Fund fund balance to: \$500,000 to Fund 677 - Benefit Fund to cover projected unfunded healthcare costs and \$1.5 million to Fund 466 - Corrections Facility to mitigate the cost of a jail expansion

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2007

Note 2 - Stewardship, Compliance, and Accountability (Continued)

- Recognition of increases/decrease in grant revenues
- Creation of a new General Fund department No. 601 Health Department for the Livingston health plan

During the year, the budgets for the Special Revenue Funds were amended as follows:

- Creation of the Lutz County Park Fund budget
- Amendments for capital purchases
- Recognition of position vacancy savings and/or lay-offs in various departments because of reduction in demand for services.

The budget document presents information by fund, function, department, and line item. The legal level of budgetary control adopted by the Board of Commissioners is the department level in the General Fund and the fund level for all other funds. All annual appropriations lapse at fiscal year end. Encumbrance accounting utilized in governmental funds is the responsibility of each individual department. Encumbrances (purchase orders or service contracts) outstanding at year end are tracked; however, they do not constitute expenditures or liabilities because the goods or services have not been received by year end. The commitments will be honored during the subsequent year.

The budget process begins in April when the Board of Commissioners conducts a "goal-setting workshop" to formulate the strategic goals, policies, and objectives for the upcoming year. To encourage long-term planning, the County prepares biennial budgets.

In May, the strategic goals, policies, and objectives established by the board are shared and discussed with board subcommittees (including elected officials and department heads); public safety; health and human services; infrastructure and development; and general government. The elected officials and department heads make recommendations that may modify the strategic goals, policies, and objectives, and determine how these may impact their departmental budgets.

Additionally in May, the finance department prepares the projection for employee costs, including salaries/wages and all fringe benefits, by department and/or fund. The employee cost spreadsheets, budget worksheets, capital purchase, and new employee request forms are distributed to the departments for preparation of their department biennial budget request. The finance department projects total expenditures per functional group: i.e., public safety, health and human services, infrastructure and development, and general government for the General Fund.

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2007

Note 2 - Stewardship, Compliance, and Accountability (Continued)

Departments are requested to submit budget requests within these limits. Budget requests are due from the departments on July 30.

In August, the finance department reviews the budget to verify that it balances. Additional board subcommittee meetings are held with the departments to review requests and make modifications. During August, the budget plan is compiled and the County administrator distributes the recommended budget plan to the Board of Commissioners, elected officials, and department heads.

During September, the finance subcommittee reviews the budget plan and makes a recommendation to the Board of Commissioners. Upon review and a subsequent public hearing, the Board of Commissioners authorizes the proposed budget plan by adoption of the General Appropriations Resolution. The budget must be adopted by the Board of Commissioners at its annual meeting.

Accumulated Net Asset and Fund Balance Deficits - At December 31, 2007, the Airport Enterprise Fund had total net assets of \$26,846,243. The investment in capital assets, net of related debt, totaled \$28,921,795 at year end. Offsetting the investment in capital assets, net of related debt, is an unrestricted net deficit balance of \$2,075,552.

Additionally, the Community Corrections nonmajor Special Revenue Fund had an unreserved fund deficit of \$26,150 at December 31, 2007. This was due to the fact that a state grant reimbursement was not received until after the period of availability.

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2007

Note 3 - Deposits and Investments

Michigan Compiled Laws Section 129.91 (Public Act 20 of 1943, as amended) authorizes local governmental units to make deposits and invest in the accounts of federally insured banks, credit unions, and savings and loan associations that have offices in Michigan. The County is allowed to invest in bonds, securities, and other direct obligations of the United States or any agency or instrumentality of the United States; repurchase agreements; bankers' acceptances of United States banks; commercial paper rated within the two highest classifications, which matures not more than 270 days after the date of purchase; obligations of the State of Michigan or its political subdivisions, which are rated as investment grade; and mutual funds composed of investment vehicles that are legal for direct investment by local units of government in Michigan.

The Other Employee Benefit Trust Fund retiree healthcare fund is also authorized by Michigan Public Act 314 of 1965, as amended, to invest in certain reverse repurchase agreements, stocks, diversified investment companies, annuity investment contracts, real estate leased to public entities, mortgages, real estate, debt or equity of certain small businesses, certain state and local government obligations, and certain other specified investment vehicles.

The County has designated 13 banks for the deposit of its funds. The investment policy adopted by the board in accordance with Public Act 196 of 1997 has authorized investment as allowed under state statutory authority as listed above.

The County holds cash and investments on behalf of its component units. These cash and investments are subject to several types of risk, which are examined in more detail below:

Custodial Credit Risk of Bank Deposits - Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the County's deposits may not be returned to it. The County's investment policy requires that it shall diversify its investments by security type and institution. No more than 60 percent of the total investment portfolio will be invested in a single security type or with a single financial institution. At year end, the County had bank deposits of \$63,559,761, of which \$1,248,138 is covered by federal depository insurance and \$62,311,623 was uninsured and uncollateralized. The County believes that due to the dollar amounts of cash deposits and the limits of FDIC insurance, it is impractical to insure all deposits. As a result, the County evaluates each financial institution with which it deposits funds and assesses the level of risk of each institution; only those institutions with an acceptable estimated risk level are used as depositories.

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2007

Note 3 - Deposits and Investments (Continued)

Interest Rate Risk - Interest rate risk is the risk that the value of investments will decrease as a result of a rise in interest rates. The County's investment policy does not restrict investment maturities, other than commercial paper which can only be purchased with a 270-day maturity. At year end, the average maturities of investments are as follows:

Government-wide

Type of Investment	 Fair Value	Less t	than One Year	 I-5 Years	5-	10 Years
Commercial paper	\$ 8,272,095	\$	8,272,095	\$ -	\$	-
U.S. agency bonds or notes	7,425,647		4,315,539	2,610,108		500,000

Component Units

Type of Investment	Fair Value		Less than One Year		
Commercial paper	\$	416,125	\$	416,125	

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2007

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Note 3 - Deposits and Investments (Continued)

Credit Risk - State law limits investments in commercial paper to the top two ratings issued by nationally recognized statistical rating organizations. The County has no investment policy that would further limit its investment choices. As of year end, the credit quality ratings of debt securities (other than the U.S. government) are as follows:

Government-wide

				Rating
Investment	Fair Value		Rating	Organization
Commercial paper	\$	8,272,095	A-I+	S&P
Federal Home Loan Bank		1,994,380	AAA	S&P
Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp.		1,822,719	AAA	S&P
Fannie Mae		994,060	AAA	S&P
Fannie Mae		2,114,488	AAA	Fitch
Fowlerville Downtown Development Bond		500,000	NR	N/A
Money market		1,813,190	AAA	S&P
Money market		7,170,256	A-I+	S&P
Money market		429,498	A-I	S&P
Money market		8,543,186	NR	N/A
Other Employee Benefits Trust Fund -				
Mutual funds		6,841,303	NR	N/A

Component Units

				Rating
Investment	F	air Value	Rating	Organization
Commercial paper	\$	416,125	A-I+	S&P
Money market		18,534	A-I+	S&P

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2007

Note 3 - Deposits and Investments (Continued)

Concentration of Credit Risk - The County's investment policy requires it shall diversify its investment by security type and institution by allowing no more than 60 percent of the total investment portfolio to be invested in a single security type, or with a single financial institution. The following shows individual investments held by the County with a balance that is greater than 5 percent of the County's total investments (not including certificates of deposits). These listed investments account for 42 percent of the County's total investments (not including certificates of deposits).

Government-wide

Investment	<u> </u>	Fair Value
Commercial paper - CitiGroup	\$	1,386,305
Commercial paper - LaSalle		5,822,100
Federal Home Loan Bank		3,817,099
Fannie Mae		1,992,500
Federal National Mortgage Association		1,116,048

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2007

Note 4 - Capital Assets

Capital asset activity of the County's governmental activities, business-type activities, and component units is as follows:

Primary Government

	Balance					Balance
	January I,		Disp	oosals and	De	ecember 31,
Governmental Activities	 2007	 Additions	Adj	ustments		2007
Capital assets not being depreciated:						
Land	\$ 8,236,801	\$ -	\$	_	\$	8,236,801
Construction in progress	 	 251,899		-		251,899
Subtotal	8,236,801	251,899		-		8,488,700
Capital assets being depreciated:						
Buildings	55,147,881	76,482		-		55,224,363
Improvements other than building	2,040,466	-		-		2,040,466
Equipment and furniture	18,095,610	304,176		35,293		18,364,493
Vehicles	 3,700,032	 556,291		365,929		3,890,394
Subtotal	78,983,989	936,949		401,222		79,519,716
Accumulated depreciation:						
Buildings	12,642,598	1,104,996		-		13,747,594
Improvements other than building	1,694,961	72,274		-		1,767,235
Equipment and furniture	12,060,321	1,236,055		35,293		13,261,083
Vehicles	 2,151,112	 655,939		313,910		2,493,141
Subtotal	 28,548,992	 3,069,264		349,203		31,269,053
Net capital assets being depreciated	 50,434,997	 (2,132,315)		52,019		48,250,663
Net capital assets	\$ 58,671,798	\$ (1,880,416)	\$	52,019	\$	56,739,363

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2007

Note 4 - Capital Assets (Continued)

						Balance
	Balar	ice		Disposals and	De	ecember 31,
Business-type Activities	January I	, 2007	Additions	Adjustments		2007
Capital assets not being depreciated:						
Land	\$ 10,94	16,813	\$ -	\$ -	\$	10,946,813
Construction in progress			14,564			14,564
Subtotal	10,94	16,813	14,564	-		10,961,377
Capital assets being depreciated:						
Buildings	3,5	51,485	2,457,904	-		6,009,389
Improvements other than buildings	16,1	16,342	1,903,716	-		18,020,058
Vehicles	1,10)5,966	566,911	-		1,672,877
Machinery and equipment	32	23,985	974,094			1,298,079
Subtotal	21,09	97,778	5,902,625	-		27,000,403
Accumulated depreciation:						
Buildings	94	12,404	117,318	-		1,059,722
Improvements other than buildings	29	91,052	333,069	-		624,121
Vehicles	5.	50,479	212,990	-		763,469
Machinery and equipment	2	73,770	81,738			355,508
Subtotal	2,0	57,705	745,115			2,802,820
Net capital assets being depreciated	19,04	10,073	5,157,510			24,197,583
Net capital assets	\$ 29,98	36,886	\$ 5,172,074	\$ -	\$	35,158,960

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2007

Note 4 - Capital Assets (Continued)

				Balance
	Balance		Disposals and	December 31,
Component Units	January 1, 2007	Additions	Adjustments	2007
Capital assets not being depreciated:				
Land	\$ 25,523,524	\$ 33,221	\$ -	\$ 25,556,745
Construction in progress	1,917,323		1,917,323	
Subtotal	27,440,847	33,221	1,917,323	25,556,745
Capital assets being depreciated:				
Land improvements	159,393	-	-	159,393
Buildings and improvements	7,008,423	-	-	7,008,423
Drains and septic systems	4,378,988	-	-	4,378,988
Machinery, equipment, and vehicles	10,652,438	996,716	1,049,500	10,599,654
Infrastructure - Roads and bridges	152,663,066	6,006,206	-	158,669,272
Depletable assets	488,543			488,543
Subtotal	175,350,851	7,002,922	1,049,500	181,304,273
Accumulated depreciation:				
Land improvements	133,072	-	-	133,072
Buildings and improvements	2,290,338	151,530	-	2,441,868
Drains and septic systems	1,652,959	174,531	-	1,827,490
Machinery, equipment, and vehicles	7,648,702	1,062,945	1,007,107	7,704,540
Infrastructure - Roads and bridges	66,037,902	6,775,269	-	72,813,171
Depletable assets	118,985			118,985
Subtotal	77,881,958	8,164,275	1,007,107	85,039,126
Net capital assets being depreciated	97,468,893	(1,161,353)	42,393	96,265,147
Net capital assets	\$ 124,909,740	\$ (1,128,132)	\$ 1,959,716	\$ 121,821,892

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2007

Note 4 - Capital Assets (Continued)

Depreciation expense was charged to programs of the primary government and component units as follows:

Primary Government

Governmental activities:		
General government	\$	915,621
Public safety		1,166,863
Health and welfare		433,641
Community and economic development		1,353
Public works		130,766
Internal Service Funds		421,020
Total governmental activities	<u>\$</u>	3,069,264
Business-type activities:		
Building and safety	\$	1,833
Airport		383,956
Septage receiving station		91,275
L.E.T.S.		268,051
Total business-type activities	<u>\$</u>	745,115
Component Units		
Component unit activities:		
Drain Commission districts	\$	287,667
Road Commission		7,876,608
Total component unit activities	\$	8,164,275

During the fiscal years ended December 31, 2006 and 2005, Livingston County accepted the bequests of the Lutz and Fillmore Estates, totaling approximately \$4.04 million. The County reports this property as a capital asset and exercises control over the use of the property, within the stipulations of the trust documents. The trust documents explicitly limit the uses of the property to park or conference center purposes. The property cannot be sold, split, or subdivided. If the County violates the specified uses for these properties, the assets will revert back to the trust.

Construction Commitments - The County has an active construction project at year end. The project relates to the construction of the Hillcrest Security Facility. At year end, the County's remaining commitment is \$254,318 while a total of \$244,287 has been spent to date.

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2007

Note 5 - Interfund Receivables, Payables, Transfers, and Advances

The composition of interfund balances is as follows:

Due to/from Other Funds

Fund Transferred From	Fund Transferred To		Amount
General Fund	Airport Fund	\$	40,000
	Internal Service Fund		35,780
	Nonmajor governmental funds		6,744
	Total General Fund		82,524
Delinquent Tax Revolving Fund	Airport Fund		17,112
Internal Service Funds	Nonmajor governmental funds		86,500
Nonmajor governmental funds	Internal Service Fund		24,324
	Total	<u>\$</u>	210,460

Interfund balances represent routine and temporary cash flow assistance.

Fund Transferred From	Fund Transferred To	Amount		
Interfund Transfers				
General Fund	Health Fund	\$	396,605	
	Nonmajor governmental funds		4,115,194	
	Internal Service Funds		586,500	
	Total General Fund		5,098,299	
Revenue Sharing Reserve Fund	General Fund		2,757,592	
Nonmajor governmental funds	General Fund		35,270	
· ·	Internal Service Funds		55,170	
	Total nonmajor governmental funds		90,440	
	Total operating transfers out			
	from governmental funds		7,946,331	
Delinquent Tax Revolving Fund	Nonmajor governmental funds		1,565,713	
	Total operating transfers out	\$	9,512,044	

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2007

Note 5 - Interfund Receivables, Payables, Transfers, and Advances (Continued)

Transfers from the General Fund to the Health Fund, nonmajor governmental funds, and the Internal Service Funds provide for operations of those funds, capital projects, and capital acquisitions. The transfer from the Revenue Sharing Reserve Fund provides for operations of the General Fund per Public Act 357 of 2004. The transfers from the nonmajor governmental funds to the General Fund were to cover costs of eligible expenditures made by the General Fund. The transfers from the nonmajor governmental funds to the Internal Service Funds and other nonmajor governmental funds were to provide funding for capital improvements. The transfer from the Delinquent Tax Revolving Fund to the nonmajor governmental funds provides for debt payments and capital improvements.

Advances represent long-term, temporary cash flow assistance between funds.

Receivable Fund	ole Fund Payable Fund		
Advances			
General Fund	Health Fund	\$	304,372
	Nonmajor governmental funds		58,086
	Airport Fund		14,521
	Total General Fund		376,979
Delinquent Tax Revolving Fund	Airport Fund		2,402,186
Nonmajor governmental funds	Internal Service Funds		218,913
	Total advances	\$	2,998,078

Note 6 - Long-term Debt

The County issues bonds to provide for the acquisition and construction of major capital facilities. General obligation bonds are direct obligations and pledge the full faith and credit of the County. County contractual agreements and installment purchase agreements are also general obligations of the government.

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2007

Note 6 - Long-term Debt (Continued)

Long-term obligation activity can be summarized as follows:

			Be	ginning Balance								Due Within
Primary Government	Matures	Interest Rate	(.	As Restated)		Additions		Reductions	E	nding Balance		One Year
Governmental Activities												
General obligation bonds:												
1995 Building Authority - Road												
Commission refunding bonds	2008	4.25%-5.80%	\$	915,000	\$	-	\$	(445,000)	\$	470,000	\$	470,000
1999 Building Authority - Mental												
health bonds	2010	4.20% - 4.50%		370,000		-		(85,000)		285,000		90,000
2000 Building Authority - Building												
improvement projects	2010	5.00%-5.25%		2,955,000		-		(685,000)		2,270,000		720,000
2001 Building Authority - Road								,				
Commission refunding bonds	2010	4.50%		1,110,000		-		-		1,110,000		-
2002 Capital improvement bonds	2012	3.00% - 4.00%		3,210,000		-		(485,000)		2,725,000		500,000
2005 Mental health refunding bonds	2024	3.00% - 5.00%		2,155,000		-		(5,000)		2,150,000		10,000
2005 Building Authority - Mental								, ,				
health refunding bonds	2014	3.00% - 5.00%		3,725,000	_		_	(20,000)	_	3,705,000	_	20,000
Subtotal				14,440,000		-		(1,725,000)		12,715,000		1,810,000
Other obligations:												
Drain at large assessments				612,731		_		(152,268)		460,463		128,240
Landfill postclosure liability				1,716,000		_		(133,500)		1,582,500		133,500
Employee compensated absences			_	1,658,483	_	553,634	_		_	2,212,117	_	309,508
Total governmental activities			\$	18,427,214	\$	553,634	\$	(2,010,768)	\$	16,970,080	\$	2,381,248
Business-type Activities												
Regional Waste (Septage Receiving Station)	2028	4.00%-4.25%	\$	3,165,000	\$	_	\$	-	\$	3,165,000	\$	90,000
Contractual agreement - MDOT -												
Bureau of Aeronautics Ioan	2007	4.70%		23,627	_		_	(23,627)	_		_	
Total business-type activities			\$	3,188,627	\$		\$	(23,627)	\$	3,165,000	\$	90,000
Component Units												
Component Unit Debt												
Drain Commission districts	2008-2026	2.00%-7.25%	\$	35,220,748	\$	280,000	\$	(3,354,285)	\$	32,146,463	\$	3,389,194
Department of Public Works	2009-2030	2.70%-10.25%		61,795,000		4,155,000		(7,345,000)		58,605,000		3,475,000
Road Commission	2007-2012	3.00%-8.08%	_	4,566,250	_	315,067	_	(1,003,356)		3,877,961	_	1,264,844
Total component unit debt			\$	101,581,998	\$	4,750,067	\$	(11,702,641)	\$	94,629,424	\$	8,129,038

Annual debt service requirements to maturity for the above governmental, business-type, and component unit bond and note obligations are as follows:

		G	overr	nmental Activit	ies		Business-type Activities					Component Units					
		Principal		Interest		Total	Principal		Interest		Total		Principal		Interest		Total
2008	\$	1,810,000	\$	564,091	\$	2,374,091	\$ 90,000	\$	127,798	\$	217,798	\$	8,129,038	\$	3,834,351	\$	11,963,389
2009	-	1,945,000		476,466	•	2,421,466	95,000		124,098		219,098	·	7,735,544		3,547,921		11,283,465
2010		2,035,000		387,019		2,422,019	100,000		120,198		220,198		7,326,126		3,292,794		10,618,920
2011		1,545,000		292,606		1,837,606	105,000		116,098		221,098		6,567,398		2,983,496		9,550,894
2012		1,600,000		230,806		1,830,806	110,000		111,798		221,798		6,094,794		2,729,766		8,824,559
2013-2017		2,575,000		457,806		3,032,806	630,000		487,388		1,117,388		27,846,525		9,920,452		37,766,977
2018-2022		830,000		188,796		1,018,796	795,000		345,500		1,140,500		20,155,000		4,525,355		24,680,355
2023-2027		375,000		24,500		399,500	1,005,000		160,405		1,165,405		8,975,000		1,277,100		10,252,100
2028-2032				-		-	 235,000		4,994		239,994		1,800,000		136,219		1,936,219
Total	\$	12,715,000	\$	2,622,090	\$	15,337,090	\$ 3,165,000	\$	1,598,277	\$	4,763,277	\$	94,629,424	\$	32,247,454	\$	126,876,878

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2007

Note 6 - Long-term Debt (Continued)

Defeased Debt - During 2007, the County issued \$4,155,000 in Livingston County Sanitary Sewer Improvement Refunding Bonds, Tyrone Township, Series 2007 (Limited Tax Obligation) with an average interest rate of 4.00 percent. The proceeds of these bonds were used to advance refund \$3,975,000 of outstanding Livingston County Sanitary Sewer Improvement Bonds, Series Limited Tax Obligation Bonds with an average interest rate of 4.125 percent. The net proceeds of \$4,083,263 million (after payment of \$107,404 in underwriting fees, insurance, and other issuance costs) were deposited in an irrevocable trust with an escrow agent to provide for all future debt service payments on the original bonds. As a result, the bonds are considered to be defeased and the liability for the bonds has been removed from the DPW's general ledger. The advance refunding reduced total debt service payments over the next 15 years by approximately \$162,000, which represents an economic gain of approximately \$119,000. The deferred amount on refunding is the difference between the reacquisition price of \$4,083,263 and the net carrying value of the old debt of \$3,975,000.

The net deferred accounting loss on refunding of \$72,596 will be amortized using the straight-line method over the life of the new bonds.

At December 31, 2007, approximately \$21.475 million of bonds outstanding are considered defeased.

Note 7 - Revenues Pledged in Connection with Local Unit Debt

The County has pledged, as security for bonds issued by various local units within the County's boarders, the amounts collected for debt service payments from local unit contributions. The bonds, issued by the County are to provide funding for various drain and department of public works projects, and are payable through 2030. The County has committed to appropriate each year the total amount contributed by local units. Each local unit has pledged, as the primary security for the bonds, the annual debt service requirements of its related debt, as an appropriation to the County. Total principal and interest remaining on the debt at December 31, 2007 is \$122,655,202 with annual requirements ranging from \$10,586,438 in 2008 to \$496,375 in the final year. The local unit contributions from which the appropriations will be made have averaged approximately \$15.1 million over the last five years. For the current year, the principal and interest paid on behalf of the local units and the total local unit contributions recognized by the County were \$10,763,924 and \$11,031,069, respectively.

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2007

Note 8 - Restricted Net Assets

The balances of the restricted net asset accounts are as follows:

	Governmental		
		Activities	
Health and welfare expense	\$	6,612,637	
Public safety expense		3,167,978	
Community and economic development expense		1,559,499	
Revenue-sharing reserve		15,122,228	
Total restricted assets	\$	26,462,342	

Note 9 - Reserved and Designated Fund Balances

Fund balances have been reserved and designated as follows:

	Reserved		Desi	gnated
General Fund - Reserved for: Advance - Health Fund	\$	304,372	\$	-
Advance - Job Training Services Fund Advance - Community Corrections Fund		36,304 21,782		-
Advance - Airport Fund		14,521		-
Prepaid costs and other assets		192,581		
Total General Fund		569,560		_

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2007

Note 9 - Reserved and Designated Fund Balances (Continued)

	Reserved			Designated
Special Revenue Fund - Reserved for: Lutz County Park Revenue Sharing Reserve Fund	\$ I	19,587 5,122,228	\$	<u>-</u> -
Total Special Revenue Funds	1.	5,141,815		-
Debt Service Funds - Reserved for debt service		56,223		-
Capital Projects Funds - Designated for: Mobile command Jail expansion Courthouse improvements Administration building renovations Capital replacement West complex construction grant		- - - - -		1,984 1,582,109 105 28,294 3,330,920 15,635
Total Capital Projects Funds		-		4,959,047
Permanent Fund - Reserved for cemetery care		26,385		-
Total	\$ I	5,793,983	\$	4,959,047

Note 10 - Risk Management

The County is exposed to various risks of loss related to property loss, torts, errors and omissions, and employee injuries (workers' compensation), as well as medical benefits provided to employees. The County has purchased commercial insurance for workers' compensation and excess medical benefit claims, and participates in the Michigan Municipal Risk Management Authority risk pool for claims relating to general liability. Settled claims relating to the commercial insurance have not exceeded the amount of insurance coverage in any of the past three fiscal years.

The Michigan Municipal Risk Management Authority (the "Authority") risk pool program operates as a claims servicing pool for amounts up to member retention limits, and operates as a common risk-sharing management program for losses in excess of member retention amounts. Although premiums are paid annually to the Authority that the Authority uses to pay claims up to the retention limits, the ultimate liability for those claims remains with the County.

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2007

Note 10 - Risk Management (Continued)

At December 31, 2007, the County's Member Retention Fund with the Authority includes approximately \$64,000 reserved for claims and claims adjustment expenses. Upon termination of the program, any amounts remaining on deposit after the Authority has settled all claims incurred prior to termination will be returned to the County.

The County estimates the liability for claims that have been incurred through the end of the fiscal year, including claims that have been reported as well as those that have not yet been reported. Changes in the estimated liability for the past fiscal year are as follows:

Unpaid Claims - Beginning of year	\$	291,856
Incurred claims (including claims incurred but		
not reported)		101,126
Claim payments		(252,002)
Unpaid Claims - End of year	<u>\$</u>	140,980

In addition to the claims paid, the County incurred an additional \$845,300 for insurance expense for the year ended December 2007.

The County is self-insured for medical benefits provided to active employees and retirees. Claims are being paid out of the Benefits Internal Service Fund. The plan is administered by Blue Cross/Blue Shield of Michigan. The County is self-insured under the Blue Cross/Blue Shield of Michigan program up to \$50,000 per contract with an aggregate stop-loss amount of 120 percent of estimated claims. Once the individual contract or aggregate stop-loss amount is reached, reinsurance provides the remaining benefits.

Note II - Defined Benefit Pension Plan

Plan Description - The County participates in the Michigan Municipal Employees' Retirement System (MERS), an agent multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan that covers the majority of County employees. The system provides retirement, disability, and death benefits to plan members and their beneficiaries.

MERS issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for the system. That report may be obtained by writing to the MERS at 1134 Municipal Way, Lansing, Michigan 48917.

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2007

Note II - Defined Benefit Pension Plan (Continued)

During 2003, through collective bargaining, two employee groups (Ambulance Services and 911) opted to institute a defined contribution plan administered by MERS. Existing employees were given the choice to stay in the defined benefit plan or move to the defined contribution plan. Effective in 2003, all new hires are automatically eligible for participation in the defined contribution plan.

Annual Pension Costs - For the year ended December 31, 2007, the County's annual pension cost was \$3,137,004 for the plan. The required and actual contribution to the plan was \$3,078,134. The annual required contribution was determined as part of an actuarial valuation at December 31, 2005, using the entry age actuarial funding method. Significant actuarial assumptions used include (a) an 8 percent investment rate of return, (b) projected salary increases of 4.5 percent per year, attributable to inflation, and (c) additional projected salary increases of 0 percent to 8.40 percent per year, attributable to seniority/merit. The actuarial value of assets was determined using techniques that smooth the effects of short-term volatility over a five-year period.

The unfunded actuarial liability is being amortized as a level percentage of payroll on a closed basis over a period of 30 years, and 10 years for negative unfunded accrued liabilities.

For the year ended December 31, 2007, the County's annual pension cost and net pension asset are as follows:

Annual required contribution Interest on net pension obligation Adjustment to annual required contribution	\$ 3,078,134 (142,814) 201,684
Annual pension cost Contributions	 3,137,004 (3,078,134)
Decrease in net pension asset	58,870
Net pension asset - Beginning of year	 1,785,184
Net pension asset - End of year	\$ 1,726,314

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2007

Note I I - Defined Benefit Pension Plan (Continued)

Schedule of Employer Contributions

			Percentage			Percentage of		
Year Ended	Α	nnual Required	of ARC	An	nual Pension	APC	٨	let Pension
December 31	Coi	ntribution (ARC)	Contributed		Cost (APC)	Contributed		Asset
		_			_			_
2005	\$	2,862,837	100	\$	2,913,308	98	\$	1,839,693
2006		3,089,598	100		3,144,107	98		1,785,184
2007		3,078,134	100		3,137,004	98		1,726,314

Schedule of Funding Progress

										UAAL as a
Actuarial				Actuarial						Percentage
Valuation	A	ctuarial Value	Acc	crued Liability	U	nfunded AAL	Funded		Covered	of Covered
Date		of Assets		(AAL)		(UAAL)	Ratio		Payroll	Payroll
12/31/2004	\$	48.623.767	\$	66.664.830	\$	18.041.063	73%	\$	25,024,051	72%
12/31/2005	Ψ	52,613,632	Ψ	69,394,484	Ψ	16,780,852	76%	Ψ	23,856,630	70%
12/31/2006		57,441,045		75,524,909		18,083,864	76%		23,335,744	77%

Note 12 - Other Postemployment Benefits

The County has elected to provide postemployment health benefits to eligible participants and their beneficiaries. An employee is eligible to participate if the employee is a permanent employee and provided eligibility under County policy or an applicable collective bargaining agreement. The retiree healthcare plan provisions were created by the Livingston County Board of Commissioners. The County maintains two plans:

Livingston County Retiree Health Care Plan - The County Retiree Health Care Plan (defined benefit) is for eligible employees including employees from the Sheriff's Office collective bargaining agreement, elected officials, and nonunion employees elected or hired on or before March 17, 2003 who have elected to remain in this program. Beginning on the effective date, the County shall provide healthcare benefits to each eligible retiree and their spouse. Currently, the plan has 334 members, including employees in active service, terminated employees not yet receiving benefits, and retired employees and beneficiaries currently receiving benefits.

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2007

Note 12 - Other Postemployment Benefits (Continued)

This is a single employer defined benefit plan administered by the County. The benefits are provided under collective bargaining agreements. The plan does not issue a separate stand-alone financial statement. The collective bargaining agreements require no contributions from the Sheriff's Office employees. For elected officials and nonunion employee, the County and eligible participants will share health insurance costs as follows:

Years of Service at Retirement	County Share	Retiree Share
Between 10 and 15	25%	75%
Between 15 and 20	35%	65%
Between 20 and 25	50%	50%
Between 25 and 30	65%	35%
More than 30	75%	25%

The County has no obligation to make contributions in advance of when the healthcare expenditures are incurred. However, the County has established a Post Employment Health Care Trust (the"Trust") and annually contributes the actuarial determined annual required contribution (ARC). For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2007, the County contributed \$1.9 million to the Trust; and approximately, \$500,000 was paid for actual retiree healthcare costs. The Post Employment Health Care Trust is reported in the financial statement as a Pension and Other Employee Benefit Trust Fund type.

The funding progress of the plan as of the most recent valuation date is as follows:

Valuation as of December 31, 2006	\$ 31,010,338
Actuarial value of assets	5,129,503
Actuarial accrued liability	26,079,268
Unfunded AAL	20,949,765
Funded ratio	20%
Annual covered payroll	9,463,581
Ratio of UAAL to covered payroll	221%

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Note 12 - Other Postemployment Benefits (Continued)

Actuarial valuations of an ongoing plan involve estimates of the value of reported amounts and assumptions about the probability of occurrence of events far into the future. Examples include assumptions about future employment, mortality, and the healthcare cost trend. Amounts determined regarding the funded status of the plan and the annual required contributions of the employer are subject to continual revision as actual results are compared with past expectations and new estimates are made about the future. The schedule of funding progress, presented as required supplementary information following the notes to the financial statements, presents multiyear trend information about whether the actuarial value of plan assets is increasing or decreasing over time relative to the actuarial accrued liabilities for benefits.

Projections of benefits for financial reporting purposes are based on the substantive plan (the plan as understood by the employer and the plan members) and include the types of benefits provided at the time of each valuation and the historical pattern of sharing of benefit costs between the employer and plan members to that point. The actuarial methods and assumptions used include techniques that are designed to reduce the effects of short-term volatility in actuarial accrued liabilities and the actuarial value of assets, consistent with the long-term perspective of the calculations.

In the December 31, 2006 actuarial valuation, the entry age actuarial cost method was used. The actuarial assumptions included a 8.0 percent investment rate of return (net of administrative expenses), which is a blended rate of the expected long-term investment returns on plan assets, and an annual healthcare cost trend rate of 10 percent initially, reduced by 0.5 percent decrements to an ultimate rate of 4.5 percent after 10 years. Both rates included a 4.5 percent inflation assumption. The actuarial value of assets was determined using techniques that spread the effects of short-term volatility in the market value of investments over a five-year period. The UAAL is being amortized as a level percentage of projected payroll on an open basis. The remaining amortization period at December 31, 2006 was 30 years.

Livingston County Retiree Health Savings Plan - The County Retiree Health Savings Plan (defined contribution) is for eligible employees hired after March 17, 2003, and/or participants of the Retiree Health Care Plan who made a voluntary irrevocable "opt-out" of the Retiree Health Care Plan and elected participation in this new program. In consideration for such a non-revocable decision to opt-out of the Retiree Health Care Plan, the County made an employer contribution in an amount equal to the maximum amounts as described below for each of the eligible years of County service the employee has served. The opt-out window began in November 2003 and ended in January 2004; therefore, funding of this program spans two fiscal years. The plan is administered under ICMA.

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2007

Note 12 - Other Postemployment Benefits (Continued)

Beginning January 1, 2004, participant contributions are made by payroll deduction and deposited into the participant's plan account. The participant will authorize the amount to be deducted on a per pay period basis from his or her paycheck. The employer contribution match of participant contributions will be subject to the following maximum limitation in each calendar year of participation: first five years of service with the County - up to \$536 per year (prorated); beginning with the sixth year of service with the County until termination of participation - up to \$1,607 per year (prorated). Adjustments may be made annually consistent with the nonunion salary schedule adjustment. The County match shall be distributed over a 12-month period.

For those employees participating in the defined contribution retiree healthcare plan, the County contributed approximately \$217,000 during the current year.

Upcoming Reporting Change - The Governmental Accounting Standards Board has recently released Statement Number 45, Accounting and Reporting by Employers for Postemployment Benefits Other Than Pensions. The new pronouncement provides guidance for local units of government in recognizing the cost of retiree health care, as well as any other postemployment benefits (other than pensions). The new rules will cause the government-wide financial statements to recognize the cost of providing retiree healthcare coverage over the working life of the employee, rather than at the time the healthcare premiums are paid. The new pronouncement is effective for the year ended December 31, 2008.

Note 13 - Prior Period Adjustment

During the year ended December 31, 2006, certain amounts related to the initial set up of the septage receiving station were recorded in a fund under the Department of Public Works. During the year ended December 31, 2007, the County determined that assets and liabilities would belong to the County, as opposed to the DPW, and as such, should be recorded as an Enterprise Fund of the County. The following prior period adjustments were recorded to separate the financial activity of the Septage Receiving Station Fund from the DPW component unit.

Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2007

Note 13 - Prior Period Adjustment (Continued)

Septage Receiving Station

Net Assets - January 1, 2007	\$	-
Adjustment to record prior year activity recorded in DPW component unit		72,486
Adjustment to record fixed assets which were expensed		207,081
Net Assets - January 1, 2007, as restated	<u>\$</u>	279,567
DPW Component Unit		
Net Assets - January 1, 2007	\$	2,590,800
Adjustment to remove prior year septage receiving station activity		(72,486)
Net Assets - January 1, 2007, as restated	\$	2,518,314



	Original Budget	Amended Budget	Actual	Variance with Amended Budget
			7 (5544)	
Revenue				
Taxes				
Property taxes	\$ 30,185,461	\$ 31,139,579	\$ 29,170,184	\$ (1,969,395)
Mobile home taxes	20,000	20,000	16,943	(3,057)
Industrial facilities taxes	225,000	225,000	224,031	(969)
Penalties and interest	35,000	85,000	90,350	5,350
Total taxes	30,465,461	31,469,579	29,501,508	(1,968,071)
Licenses and Permits	375,000	375,000	325,269	(49,731)
Federal Grants				
Child support grant	1,055,616	1,055,616	1,068,365	12,749
COPS grant	11,000	11,000	15,710	4,710
Emergency services	910,000	668,000	667,872	(128)
Other federal grants	15,000	27,462	32,121	4,659
Total federal grants	1,991,616	1,762,078	1,784,068	21,990
State Sources				
Court-related grants	776,910	821,910	812,067	(9,843)
Public safety grants	260,728	260,728	315,648	54,920
Alcohol and convention tax	810,467	810,467	801,937	(8,530)
MSHDA/OLSHA grant	150,000	150,000	63,885	(86,115)
Cigarette tax distribution	25,336	25,336	22,277	(3,059)
Liquor licenses	-	-	13,215	13,215
Other state grants	196,180	196,180	212,767	16,587
Total state sources	2,219,621	2,264,621	2,241,796	(22,825)

		Original Budget		Amended Budget		Actual	riance with Amended Budget
Revenue (Continued)							
Contributions from Local Units	\$	1,017,169	\$	1,058,819	\$	1,056,626	\$ (2,193)
Charges for Services							
Court-related charges		3,444,115		3,929,115		4,396,139	467,024
Sheriff service contracts		465,354		412,216		526,957	114,741
Jail services		152,950		152,950		158,184	5,234
Plat, site, and construction reviews		105,400		105,400		30,814	(74,586)
Equalization services		60,000		60,000		66,662	6,662
Register of Deeds		817,000		817,000		811,053	(5,947)
Real estate transfer tax		804,000		804,000		831,242	27,242
Other charges for services	_	155,750		200,750		203,236	 2,486
Total charges for services		6,004,569		6,481,431		7,024,287	542,856
Fines and Forfeitures		402,200		402,200		417,940	15,740
Interest and Rent							
Interest and investments		504,000		654,000		1,298,785	644,785
Rent	_	9,000		9,000			 (9,000)
Total interest and rent		513,000		663,000		1,298,785	635,785
Other Revenue							
Refunds		184,800		184,800		248,868	64,068
Donations		2,750		2,750		25,450	22,700
Reimbursements of clerk's office costs		20,000		49,923		54,696	4,773
Reimbursements of court-related costs		304,400		259,400		271,648	12,248
Reimbursements from other funds		399,800		399,800		338,481	(61,319)
Reimbursements of public safety costs		317,350		317,350		412,080	94,730
Reimbursements of treasurer's office costs		104,400		104,400		45,057	(59,343)
Gain on sale		750		750		1,119	369
Operating transfers in		2,749,584		2,757,584		2,792,862	 35,278
Total other revenue		4,083,834		4,076,757		4,190,261	 113,504
Total revenue		47,072,470		48,553,485		47,840,540	(712,945)

							Var	iance with	
		Original	Amended					Amended	
		Budget		Budget		Actual		Budget	
Expenditures									
Public safety:									
Court systems:									
Circuit Court	\$	1,526,587	\$	1,528,587	\$	1,406,022	\$	122,565	
District Court		2,283,456		2,370,037		2,222,771		147,266	
Friend of the Court		2,095,270		2,095,270		2,090,788		4,482	
Probate Court		676,821		676,821		650,424		26,397	
Juvenile Court		1,347,542		1,347,542		1,355,994		(8,452)	
Guardianship services		49,800		49,800		48,472		1,328	
Circuit Court probation		65,127		71,217		66,806		4,411	
Appellate Court		57,600		57,600		55,494		2,106	
Central services - Judicial center		2,197,345		2,304,504		2,242,640		61,864	
Prosecuting attorney		2,007,018		2,016,018		1,982,407		33,611	
Total court systems		12,306,566		12,517,396		12,121,818		395,578	
Sheriff and jail:									
Sheriff and Road Patrol		8,886,191		9,010,347		8,721,839		288,508	
Road Patrol		287,085		287,085		230,990		56,095	
Jail		6,356,677		6,501,925		6,325,347		176,578	
Marine		112,456		112,456		100,811		11,645	
Drug enforcement		-		12,462		11,557		905	
START		40,000		40,000		23,322		16,678	
Total sheriff and jail		15,682,409		15,964,275		15,413,866		550,409	
Other public safety:									
Family support		299,865		299,865		299,830		35	
Emergency services		925,300		21,300		11,348		9,952	
Animal shelter		575,297		575,297		531,092		44,205	
Health department		-		493,000		492,500		500	
Medical examiner		179,320		218,320		202,430		15,890	
Total other public safety		1,979,782		1,607,782		1,537,200		70,582	
Total public safety		29,968,757		30,089,453		29,072,884		1,016,569	

					Var	iance with		
	Original		Amended			A	Amended	
	 Budget		Budget		Actual		Budget	
Expenditures (Continued)								
Economic development:								
Equalization .	\$ 669,279	\$	672,764	\$	646,041	\$	26,723	
Register of Deeds	730,772		730,772		729,640		1,132	
Plat Board	2,530		2,530		1,120		1,410	
Drain Commission	2,099,156		2,118,640		2,013,165		105,475	
County share of drain costs	285,000		260,570		260,569		1	
Planning	557,414		557,414		465,061		92,353	
Solid waste/DPW/Landfill	139,906		139,906		140,247		(341)	
Transfer to Capital Improvement	 890,000		890,000		890,000			
Total economic development	5,374,057		5,372,596		5,145,843		226,753	
Human services:								
MSU co-op extension	322,163		322,163		302,460		19,703	
Contagious diseases	5,000		5,000		5,000		-	
OLHSA	150,000		90,000		63,885		26,115	
Community action programs	648,401		648,401		644,136		4,265	
Mental health	600,470		600,470		600,470		-	
Senior services	148,532		148,532		148,336		196	
Veterans' burials	25,000		25,000		24,084		916	
Veterans' affairs	220,025		221,025		218,896		2,129	
Rental fees	706,835		806,835		706,836		99,999	
Transfer to jail expansion	_		1,500,000		1,500,000		_	
Transfer to building services	_		86,500		86,500		-	
Transfer to child care	1,747,000		1,747,000		1,627,168		119,832	
Transfer to social welfare	10,500		10,500		10,500		_	
Transfer to health - Operating	836,605		396,605		396,605		-	
Transfer to soldier and sailor relief	6,000		6,000		6,000		-	
Transfer to benefits	84,089		584,089		500,000		84,089	
Transfer to employee fringe benefits	65,000		, -		-		· -	
Transfer to community corrections	 124,852		103,271		81,526		21,745	
Total human services	5,700,472		7,301,391		6,922,402		378,989	

	 Original Budget	Amended Budget				ariance with Amended Budget
Expenditures (Continued)						
General government:						
Board of Commissioners	\$ 541,429	\$	566,429	\$	553,417	\$ 13,012
County administration	527,365		545,365		529,963	15,402
Elections	57,200		65,700		49,869	15,831
Civil counsel	140,000		140,000		124,775	15,225
County Clerk	891,831		891,831		875,766	16,065
Auditing services	151,595		161,595		154,360	7,235
Personnel	407,035		407,035		376,862	30,173
Purchasing	157,139		157,139		147,972	9,167
Tax allocation	1,600		1,600		1,070	530
County treasurer	927,095		969,546		943,136	26,410
Information technology management	361,036		361,036		361,038	(2)
Insurance	1,100,000		949,158		845,300	103,858
Other	 855,858		573,611		21,489	 552,122
Total general government	 6,119,183		5,790,045		4,985,017	 805,028
Total General Fund						
expenditures	 47,162,469		48,553,485		46,126,146	 2,427,339
Excess of Revenue (Under) Over Expenditures	(89,999)		-		1,714,394	1,714,394
Fund Balance - Beginning of year	 13,937,671		13,937,671		13,937,671	
Fund Balance - End of year	\$ 13,847,672	\$	13,937,671	\$	15,652,065	\$ 1,714,394

Required Supplemental Information Budgetary Comparison Schedule Ambulance Special Revenue Fund Year Ended December 31, 2007

		riance with Amended				
	<u>Or</u>	iginal Budget	 Budget	Actual		 Budget
Revenue						
Property taxes	\$	2,219,800	\$ 2,219,800	\$	2,269,738	\$ 49,938
Charges for services		3,715,900	3,715,900		4,144,268	428,368
Interests and rents		100,500	100,500		194,342	93,842
Other revenue			 		5,178	 5,178
Total revenue		6,036,200	6,036,200		6,613,526	577,326
Expenditures - Health and welfare		5,655,428	 5,743,428		5,586,937	 156,491
Excess of Revenue Over Expenditures		380,772	292,772		1,026,589	733,817
Fund Balance - Beginning of year		3,585,662	 3,585,662		3,585,662	
Fund Balance - End of year	<u>\$</u>	3,966,434	\$ 3,878,434	<u>\$</u>	4,612,251	\$ 733,817

Required Supplemental Information Budgetary Comparison Schedule Health Special Revenue Fund Year Ended December 31, 2007

	Original Budget	Amended Budget	Actual	Variance with Amended Budget
Revenue				
Licenses and permits	\$ 268,728	\$ 167,828	\$ 165,363	\$ (2,465)
Federal grants	1,002,385	1,311,983	1,270,008	(41,975)
State grants	881,053	870,933	837,607	(33,326)
Charges for services	847,408	1,279,779	1,393,722	113,943
Operating transfers from other funds	836,605	396,605	396,605	
Total revenue	3,836,179	4,027,128	4,063,305	36,177
Expenditures - Environmental health and personal protective services	3,883,415	4,027,128	3,942,420	84,708
Excess of Expenditures Over Revenue	(47,236)	-	120,885	120,885
Fund Balance - Beginning of year	412,753	412,753	412,753	
Fund Balance - End of year	\$ 365,517	\$ 412,753	\$ 533,638	\$ 120,885

Required Supplemental Information Budgetary Comparison Schedule 9 I I Service Special Revenue Fund Year Ended December 3 I, 2007

	Original	Budget	Amended Budget Actual			Variance with Amended Budget	
Revenue							
Federal grants	\$	-	\$ -	\$	39,365	\$	39,365
State grants	2	68,000	268,000		281,201		13,201
Charges for services	3,0	03,300	3,003,300		3,296,804		293,504
Interest and rents		59,000	59,000		131,378		72,378
Total revenue	3,3	30,300	3,330,300		3,748,748		418,448
Expenditures - Public safety expense	3,8	91,191	 3,891,191		3,322,695		568,496
Excess of Revenue (Under) Over Expenditures	(5	60,891)	(560,891)		426,053		986,944
Fund Balance - Beginning of year	2,3	68,143	 2,368,143		2,368,143		
Fund Balance - End of year	\$ 1,80	7,252	\$ 1,807,252	\$	2,794,196	\$	986,944

Required Supplemental Information Budgetary Comparison Schedule Revenue Sharing Revolving Fund Year Ended December 31, 2007

							Var	iance with	
	Amended						Amended		
	Or	iginal Budget		Budget	Actual			Budget	
Revenue - Interest on investments	\$	400,000	\$	489,000	\$	574,889	\$	85,889	
Expenditures - Operating transfers out		2,669,499		2,758,499		2,757,592		907	
Excess of Expenditures (Under) Over Revenue		(2,269,499)		(2,269,499)		(2,182,703)		86,796	
Fund Balance - Beginning of year		17,304,931		17,304,931		17,304,931			
Fund Balance - End of year	\$	15,035,432	\$	15,035,432	\$	15,122,228	\$	86,796	

Other Supplemental Information

Special Revenue Funds

Special Revenue Funds are used to account for the revenue from specific revenue sources that are restricted to expenditures for specific purposes by administrative action or law. A description of the Special Revenue Funds maintained by the County is as follows:

Ambulance Fund - This fund accounts for monies received from a special tax levy for the purpose of providing emergency medical services authorized by a vote of the County electors.

Health Fund - This fund accounts for monies receives from federal, state, and local grants and County General Fund appropriations. These monies are utilized in providing a variety of health-related services to County residents. There are two types of activities included in this fund: environmental health and personal protection services.

911 Service Fund - This fund is used to account for the monies received under the provisions of Public Act 29 of 1994. These monies are to be used exclusively for the operation of the 911 system and the Enhanced 911 for wireless services.

Revenue Sharing Reserve Fund - This fund is a mandatory fund restricted for replacing state-shared revenues that have been suspended. The source of the replacement funding is the gradual shift from a winter tax levy to a summer tax levy. One-third of the County's December property tax levy was placed in the fund from the December 2004, 2005, and 2006 property tax levy. This fund is required by Public Act 357 of 2004.

Job Training Services - This fund accounts for the monies received from federal and state grants related to job training and various Michigan Works! activities.

Child Care Fund - This fund accounts for the foster care of children. The fund's primary revenue is a General Fund appropriation and state grants. The fund is required by MCL 400.117a. The Child Care Fund has two separate activities, one each for the Probate Court and Family Independence Agency.

Family Counseling - This fund accounts for monies received from a surcharge on all marriage licenses filed with the County. These monies are to be used for family counseling services as directed by the District Court.

Friend of the Court - This fund accounts for the monies received from statutory charges and a 3 percent State Court incentive received from the State (Access and Visitation Grant). These monies are to be used for Friend of the Court activities required by Acts 297 and 298 PA 1982, as amended.

Small Cities Community Development Block Grant Fund - This fund accounts for the monies received from MSHDA for community development.

Survey and Remonumentation Fund - This fund accounts for the revenues and expenditures related to the marking, the corners, and horizontal and vertical control stations. This service is performed by the office of the Register of Deeds.

Special Revenue Funds (Continued)

Prosecutor's Drug Enforcement, Drug Law Enforcement Fund, Criminal Forfeiture Fund, and OUIL Forfeiture Fund - These funds account for the monies received from the Federal Drug Enforcement Agency for law enforcement purposes and for state funds related to drug enforcement purposes. These monies are to be used to supplement existing law and drug enforcement funds in the law enforcement fields.

Law Library Fund - This fund accounts for the maintenance of the County law library. The fund's primary revenue is a specified portion of the penal fines collected each year by the County courts. This fund is required by MCL 600.4851.

County Library Fund - Public Act 59, 1964, provides for the establishment of County library boards with the authority to contract for public library services for those residents of the County without free access to a legally established public library. Penal fines dedicated to those areas without a contract are transferred to the County Library Fund pending a contract agreement for those library services.

Community Corrections Fund - This fund is a state grant used to enhance the delivery of adult probation services in the County.

Social Welfare Fund - This fund accounts for the operations of the County Family Independence Agency to assist with the welfare program that offers aid to disadvantaged individuals of Livingston County.

Soldiers and Sailors Relief Fund - This fund accounts for assistance to indigent veterans and their families. The fund's primary revenue is a General Fund appropriation. The fund is required by MCL 35.21.

Veterans Trust Fund - This fund accounts for the monies received by the State Department of Military Affairs from the State Veterans Trust Fund. These monies are to be used to aid needy veterans. The fund is required by MCL 35.607.

Register of Deeds/Technology Fund - This fund is used to account for funds set aside under provisions of Public Act 698 of 2002 (MCL 600.2568). This fund was created for upgrading technology in the Register of Deed's office.

Federal Equitable Sharing Fund - These funds are used in any local unit of government that has budgetary authority over an agency that may seize property involved in the violation of controlled substances statutes, Act 135 PA 1985 (MCL 333.7523). Authorized expenditures include expenses of seizure, forfeiture, and sale of property. The balance remaining must be used to enhance law enforcement efforts.

Homestead Property Exemption Fund - This fund is a restricted fund to account for interest distributed to the County from delinquent principal residence exemptions. It is to be used solely for the administration of principal residence exemptions and is required by Public Act 105 of 2003.

Special Revenue Funds (Continued)

Correction Officer's Training Fund - This fund is used to account for revenues and expenditures made by the County and used for different training programs in which correction officers participate. Revenue for the fund is earned through incarceration fees, and is used for continuing education, certification, re-certification, and training of local correction officers and inmate programs, including substance abuse and mental health programs.

Lutz County Park - This fund is used to account for money held by the County for the maintenance of Lutz County Park.

Community Development Block Grant/OLSHA - This fund accounts for loans made through a federal program which assists individuals in purchasing homes.

Debt Service Funds

Debt Service Funds are required if they are legally mandated and/or if financial resources are being accumulated for principal and interest payments maturing in future years.

1995 Road Commission Refunding Bonds Fund - This fund accounts for the Road Commission Building refunding bonds issued in 1995.

Mental Health Bonds Fund - This fund accounts for the proceeds and repayments from a bond issuance in 1999 for the mental health capital project.

2000 Building Improvements Bonds Fund - This fund accounts for the bonds issued in 2000 for the Old Court House, judicial center, law center, jail renovations, animal control, and 911 building capital projects.

2001 Bonds - Road Commission Refunding Bonds Fund - This fund accounts for the proceeds and repayments from debt issued in 2001 on behalf of the Road Commission.

2002 Capital Improvement Bonds - This fund accounts for the bonds issued in 2002 for the administrative building and other capital projects.

Building Authority Mental Health Refunding Bonds - This fund accounts for the proceeds and repayments from the debt issued in 2005 on behalf of the 1999 and 2000 Building Authority Mental Health Bonds.

Capital Projects Funds

Capital Projects Funds are used to account for the acquisition or construction of major capital facilities by a governmental unit that are not accounted for by proprietary funds and trust funds.

Mobile Command Fund - This fund accounted for the procurement of the mobile command unit.

Jail Expansion Fund - This fund accounts for the jail expansion capital project.

Courthouse Improvement Fund - This fund is used to account for courthouse improvements.

Administration Building Renovations Fund - This fund is used to account for the renovations to the administration building.

Capital Replacement Fund - This fund was created to be used for minor/major facility repairs or refurbishment and capital purchases.

West Complex Construction Fund - This fund was created to account for monies which will be used to construct the County's West Complex.

Permanent Fund

Permanent funds are a new fund type created by GASB No. 34 used to report resources that are legally restricted to the extent that only earnings, and not principal, may be used for purposes that support the reporting government's programs.

Cemetery Trust Fund - This fund is used to account for money held by the County in trust for the perpetual care of cemetery lots for indigents.

Enterprise Funds

Enterprise Funds are used to report any activity for which a fee is charged to external users for goods or services. The cost of operations is supported totally by fees and charges, rather than with taxes or similar revenues.

Building and Safety Fund - This fund is used to account for revenues earmarked for building construction code enforcement activities. The fund is required by Section 22 (I) of Act 230 PA 1972.

Airport Fund, Airport Debt Fund, and Airport Capital Improvement Fund - These funds account for the operations of the rural airport located in the County. The primary revenue sources are charges for services and grants received from federal and state sources.

Delinquent Tax Revolving Fund - This fund accounts for the purchase of delinquent tax rolls from the County's local units. Interest and penalties received with the collection of these receivables are the fund's primary source of revenue.

Livingston Essential Transportation System - Livingston Essential Transportation System (the "System"), also known as the Livingston Transit System, operates a bus system that primarily provides busing services to low- to moderate-income persons within Livingston County. Revenue sources include charges for services, federal and state grants, and rental income from the EMS department.

Septage Receiving Station - This fund is used to account for the operations of the septage receiving station. The primary source of revenue is a per gallon charge for service on waste that local communities dispose of through the receiving station.

Internal Service Funds

Internal Service Funds may be used to report any activity that provides goods or services to other funds, departments, or agencies of the primary government and its component units, or to other governments, on a cost-reimbursement basis.

Building Services Fund - This fund oversees the maintenance and operations of all County facilities.

Information Technology Fund - This fund includes computer information services, geographical information services, and communications. It is an all-encompassing technology fund for voice and data. Its primary responsibility is the procurement, installation, and maintenance of the County's computer and telephone system.

Carpool Fund - This fund is used to account for revenues collected from user departments for the vehicle rental charges to cover the costs incurred to administer the Motor Pool Fund and depreciation of vehicles. The Carpool Fund owns the majority of the County vehicles.

Benefits Fund - The fund is used to account for revenues collected from user departments for the payment of costs incurred to administer the self-funded health insurance program, third-party administrative expenses, and actual health claims paid. As part of union contracts and personnel policies, the fund also pays the health insurance on certain retired employees.

Component Units

Drain Commission - This component unit accounts for all the funds maintained by the drain commissioner. Each of the drainage districts established pursuant to the Drain Code of 1956 are separate legal entities, with the power to contract, to sue and be sued, to hold, manage, and dispose of real and personal property, etc. The Drainage Board of Drain Commissioners, on behalf of the drainage district, may issue debt and levy special assessments authorized by the Drain Code without the prior approval of the County Board of Commissioners. The full faith and credit of the County may be given for the debt of a drainage district.

Department of Public Works - Pursuant to Michigan Compiled Law 123.732, the County has entered into a program of water supply and sanitary sewer facility construction. The Department of Public Works is under the general control of the County Board of Commissioners and under the immediate control of a Board of Public Works, which includes the County Drain Commissioner. The Board of Public Works is considered an agency of the County. The board manages water supply and sanitary sewer system construction projects that are bonded by the County. Bonds issued are authorized by an ordinance or a resolution approved by the Board of Public Works and adopted by the County Board of Commissioners.

Road Commission - The County Road Commission, which is established pursuant to the County Road Law (MCL 224.1), is governed by an appointed three-member Board of County Road Commissioners. The Road Commission may not issue debt or levy a tax without the approval of the County Board of Commissioners.

Livingston County Foundation - The Livingston County Foundation, established as a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit entity, is governed by a seven-member board with two members being personnel of Livingston County, one member appointed by two of the County's personnel, one member being a current member of the Livingston County Board of Commissioners, and the remaining three members being appointed by the Livingston County Board of Commissioners. The Foundation is to be used for the enhancements of the Lutz County Park and for the development and maintenance of the Owen J. Lutz and Florence B. Lutz Conference Center.

	Special Revenue Funds													
	-	b Training Services		Child Care		Family ounseling	Fı	riend of the Court	D	Small Cities Community evelopment Block Grant		Survey and emonumen- tation		
Assets														
Cash and investments Due from other governments Due from other funds Advances from other funds	\$	(289,761) 609,972 - -	\$	1,274,519 401 - -	\$	36,306 - - -	\$	270,176 201,613 - -	\$	525,388 - - -	\$	879,905 91,261 - -		
Other assets		<u> </u>	_	<u> </u>		<u> </u>		655		690		3,732		
Total assets	<u>\$</u>	320,211	\$	1,274,920	<u>\$</u>	36,306	<u>\$</u>	472,444	<u>\$</u>	526,078	<u>\$</u>	974,898		
Liabilities and Fund Balances														
Liabilities														
Accounts payable	\$	145,127	\$	127,441	\$	5,896	\$	14,638	\$	-	\$	=		
Due to other funds		-		-		-		-		-		-		
Accrued liabilities		11,170		-		-		-		-		365		
Due to other governmental units		-		3,856		-		-		-		-		
Advances from other funds		36,304		-		-		-		-		-		
Deferred revenue		62,384	_					201,613				91,115		
Total liabilities		254,985		131,297		5,896		216,251		-		91,480		
Fund Balances														
Reserved or designated		-		-		-		-		-		-		
Unreserved		65,226	_	1,143,623		30,410	_	256,193		526,078		883,418		
Total fund balances		65,226		1,143,623		30,410		256,193		526,078		883,418		
Total liabilities and														
fund balances	\$	320,211	\$	1,274,920	\$	36,306	\$	472,444	\$	526,078	\$	974,898		

Other Supplemental Information Combining Balance Sheet Nonmajor Governmental Funds December 31, 2007

Special Revenue Funds

	secutor's												
	Drug		Orug Law		riminal		OUIL						mmunity
Enfo	orcement	En	forcement	Fo	rfeiture	F	orfeiture	La	w Library	C	ounty Library	Co	rrections
\$	23,806	•	130,795	\$	8.781	Φ.	7.818	Φ.	21,770	Φ.		\$	6,965
Ф	23,806	Ф	130,795	Ф	0,/01	Ф	7,010	Ф	21,770	Ф	-	Ф	6,963 47,685
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\$	23,806	\$	130,795	\$	8,781	\$	7,818	\$	21,779	\$	-	\$	54,650
\$	_	\$	_	\$	-	\$	-	\$	367	\$	-	\$	5,658
	-		-		-		-		-		-		-
	-		-		-		-		-		-		5,675
	-		-		-		-		-		-		-
	-		-		-		-		-		-		21,782
				_							<u> </u>		47,685
	_		_		_		_		367				80,800
									307				00,000
	-		-		-		-		-		-		-
	23,806		130,795	_	8,781		7,818		21,412				(26,150)
	23,806		130,795		8,781		7,818		21,412		_		(26,150)
	23,000	_	130,773	_	0,701	_	7,010		21,112	_		_	(20,130)
\$	23,806	\$	130,795	\$	8,781	\$	7,818	\$	21,779	\$		\$	54,650

						Spe	cial Revenue	Funds	i		
	Soci	ial Welfare	ldiers and lors Relief	Vete	erans' Trust	R	egister of Deeds	Federal Equitable Sharing Fund		Р	omestead Property nption Fund
Assets											
Cash and investments Due from other governments Due from other funds	\$	39,333 19,739 -	\$ 8,106 - -	\$	1,424 - -	\$	795,399 375 -	\$	229,222 - -	\$	15,232 - -
Advances from other funds Other assets		-	 -		<u>-</u>		- 1,518		<u>-</u>		<u>-</u>
Total assets	\$	59,072	\$ 8,106	\$	1,424	\$	797,292	\$	229,222	\$	15,232
Liabilities and Fund Balances											
Liabilities											
Accounts payable	\$	-	\$ 75	\$	5	\$	5,034	\$	490	\$	-
Due to other funds		-	-		-		-		-		6,744
Accrued liabilities		-	-		-		-		-		-
Due to other governmental units		32,000	-		-		-		-		-
Advances from other funds		-	-		-		-		-		-
Deferred revenue		-	 		-		-		-		
Total liabilities		32,000	75		5		5,034		490		6,744
Fund Balances											
Reserved or designated		-	-		-		-		-		-
Unreserved		27,072	 8,031	-	1,419		792,258		228,732	-	8,488
Total fund balances		27,072	 8,031	_	1,419		792,258		228,732	_	8,488
Total liabilities and											
fund balances	\$	59,072	\$ 8,106	\$	1,424	\$	797,292	\$	229,222	\$	15,232

Other Supplemental Information Combining Balance Sheet (Continued) Nonmajor Governmental Funds December 31, 2007

	Spe	ecial F	Revenue Fu	nds	ds Debt Service Funds												
	Correction cers Training	Lut	Community Development Lutz County Park OLSHA		velopment ock Grant	Co	995 Road ommission nding Bonds		ntal Health Bonds		00 Building provements Bonds	Co	OI Bonds - Road ommission nding Bonds	2002 Capital Improvement Bonds		Autho	ding Building ority Mental alth Fund
\$ <u>\$</u>	46,232 - - - - - - - - 46,232	\$ 	23,736 100 - - - 1,824 25,660	\$ <u>\$</u>	24,439 - - - - 598,164 622,603	\$ 	15,499 - - - - 26 15,525	\$ <u>\$</u>	3,154 - - - - - - - - 3,154	\$ 	- - - - -	\$ 	29,128 - - - - 43 29,171	\$ 	- - - - -	\$ 	8,373 - - - - - - - 8,373
\$	521 - -	\$	6,073 - - -	\$	15,545 - - -	\$	- - -	\$		\$	- - -	\$	- - -	\$	- - -	\$	- - -
	- - 521		6,073		598,153 613,698				- - -		- - -		- - -		- -		- - -
	- 45,711 45,711		19,587 - 19,587		- 8,905 8,905	_	15,525		3,154		-		29,171 - 29,171		-		8,373 - 8,373
\$	46,232	\$	25,660	\$	622,603	\$	15,525	\$	3,154	\$		\$	29,171	\$		\$	8,373

	Capital Projects Funds											
		Mobile ommand	Jail Expansion			ourthouse provement		ministration Building novations	R	Capital eplacement	West Comple Construction Grant	
Assets												
Cash and investments	\$	1,984	\$	1,576,987	\$	105	\$	3,968	\$	3,091,228	\$	15,635
Due from other governments		-		-		-		-		-		-
Due from other funds		-		-		-		24,324		-		_
Advances to other funds		-		-		-		-		218,913		-
Other assets	_			5,122				2		20,779		
Total assets	<u>\$</u>	1,984	\$	1,582,109	<u>\$</u>	105	<u>\$</u>	28,294	<u>\$</u>	3,330,920	<u>\$</u>	15,635
Liabilities and Fund Balances												
Liabilities												
Accounts payable	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Due to other funds		-		-		-		-		-		-
Accrued liabilities		-		-		-		-		-		-
Due to other governmental units		-		-		-		-		-		-
Advances from other funds		-		-		-		-		-		-
Deferred revenue	_											
Total liabilities		-		-		-		-		-		-
Fund Balances												
Reserved or designated		1,984		1,582,109		105		28,294		3,330,920		15,635
Unreserved							_		_			
Total fund balances		1,984	_	1,582,109		105		28,294	_	3,330,920		15,635
Total liabilities and												
fund balances	\$	1,984	\$	1,582,109	\$	105	\$	28,294	\$	3,330,920	\$	15,635

Other Supplemental Information Combining Balance Sheet (Continued) Nonmajor Governmental Funds December 31, 2007

Permanent Fund

Cemetery	Тс	otal Nonmajor Funds
\$ 26,385	\$	8,852,037
-		971,146
-		24,324
-		218,913
 13		632,577
\$ 26,398	\$	10,698,997
\$ -	\$	326,870
-		6,744
-		17,210
13		35,869
-		58,086
 		1,000,950
13		1,445,729
26,385		5,061,242
 		4,192,026
 26,385	_	9,253,268
\$ 26,398	\$	10,698,997

	Special Revenue Funds												
	Job Training Services	Child Care	Family Counseling	Friend of the	Small Cities Community Development Block Grant	Survey and Remonumen- tation	Prosecutor's Drug Enforcement						
Revenue													
Taxes	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -						
Federal sources	2,119,187	_	-	61,719	-	-	-						
State sources	444,483	1,091,374	-	-	-	211,743	_						
Charges for services	17,820	166,498	-	91,732	-	83,943	-						
Contributions from local units	-	_	-	-	-	-	-						
Interest earned	-	_	-	10,816	27,180	46,308	-						
Other			14,670				9,620						
Total revenue	2,581,490	1,257,872	14,670	164,267	27,180	341,994	9,620						
Expenditures													
Current:													
Public safety	-	-	5,896	63,679	-	-	38,137						
Community and economic development	-	-	-	-	17,000	224,988	-						
Health and welfare	2,458,240	2,582,767	-	-	-	-	-						
Capital outlay	-	-	-	-	-	-	-						
Principal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-						
Interest													
Total expenditures	2,458,240	2,582,767	5,896	63,679	17,000	224,988	38,137						
Excess of Revenue Over (Under)													
Expenditures	123,250	(1,324,895)	8,774	100,588	10,180	117,006	(28,517)						
Other Financing Sources (Uses)													
Operating transfers in	-	1,627,168	-	-	-	-	-						
Operating transfers out				(28,526)									
Total other financing sources (uses)		1,627,168		(28,526)									
Net Change in Fund Balances	123,250	302,273	8,774	72,062	10,180	117,006	(28,517)						
Fund Balances - Beginning of year	(58,024)	841,350	21,636	184,131	515,898	766,412	52,323						
Fund Balances - End of year	\$ 65,226	\$ 1,143,623	\$ 30,410	\$ 256,193	\$ 526,078	\$ 883,418	\$ 23,806						

Other Supplemental Information Combining Statement of Revenue, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances - Nonmajor Governmental Funds Year Ended December 31, 2007

	_	
Special	Revenue	Funds

Drug Law	Criminal	OUIL		County	Community
Enforcement	Forfeiture	Forfeiture	Law Library	Library	Corrections
\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	209,538
-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-
- 104,547	2,862	- 2,558	1,123 6,500	1,133	-
104,347	2,002	2,336	6,300		
104,547	2,862	2,558	7,623	1,133	209,538
11,810	2,420	_			325,790
-	2,420	-	- 8,147	37,632	323,790
_	_	_	-	-	_
-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-
	2 420		0.147	27 (22	225 700
11,810	2,420		8,147	37,632	325,790
92,737	442	2,558	(524)	(36,499)	(116,252)
			, ,	, ,	· · · · ·
					01.537
-	-	-	-	-	81,526
	·				
_	_	_	_	_	81,526
92,737	442	2,558	(524)	(36,499)	(34,726)
38,058	8,339	5,260	21,936	36,499	8,576
30,030	0,337	3,200	21,730	30,777	0,376
\$ 130,795	\$ 8,781	\$ 7,818	\$ 21,412	<u> </u>	\$ (26,150)

					Special Re	venue	Funds				
	Social W	elfare	 iers and rs Relief	V	'eterans' Trust	_	ister of Deeds	E	Federal Equitable aring Fund	Pro Exe	nestead operty mption - und
Revenue											
Taxes	\$	-	\$ -	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Federal sources		-	-		-		-		119,481		-
State sources		,45 I	-		29,708		-		-		-
Charges for services	30	,963	-		-		205,270		-		-
Contributions from local units		-	-		-		-		-		-
Interest earned		-	-		-		34,653		9,068		808
Other			 		-						545
Total revenue	155	,414	-		29,708		239,923		128,549		1,353
Expenditures											
Current:											
Public safety		-	-		-		-		57,996		-
Community and economic development		-	-		-		-		-		-
Health and welfare	157	,950	5,437		30,506		58,963		-		1,180
Capital outlay		-	-		-		-		-		-
Principal		-	-		-		-		-		-
Interest			 	_							
Total expenditures	157	,950	 5,437		30,506		58,963		57,996		1,180
Excess of Revenue Over (Under)											
Expenditures	(2	,536)	(5,437)		(798)		180,960		70,553		173
Other Financing Sources (Uses)											
Operating transfers in	10	,500	6,000		-		-		-		-
Operating transfers out			 					_			(6,744)
Total other financing sources (uses)	10	,500	6,000								(6,744)
Net Change in Fund Balances	7	,964	563		(798)		180,960		70,553		(6,571)
Fund Balances - Beginning of year	19	,108	 7,468		2,217		611,298		158,179		15,059
Fund Balances - End of year	\$ 27	072	\$ 8,031	\$	1,419	\$	792,258	\$	228,732	\$	8,488

Other Supplemental Information Combining Statement of Revenue, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances - Nonmajor Governmental Funds (Continued) Year Ended December 31, 2007

	Sį	oecial F	Revenue Fun	ds						Debt S	ervice	Funds					
	Correction Officers Training Lutz County Par		cers Training Lutz County Park		County Park	Community Development Block Grant OLSHA	Cor Re	95 Road mmission efunding Bonds		Mental Health Bonds		00 Building rovements Bonds	Road	OI Bonds - Commission nding Bonds	2002 Capital Improvement Bonds	I A	efunding Building uthority ntal Health Fund
\$	_	\$	_	\$ -	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_	\$ -	\$	_		
·	-		-	-		-		-	·	-		-	· -		-		
	-		-	-		-		-		-		-	-		-		
	31,712		23,699	-		-		-		-		-	-		-		
	-		-	-		485,665		101,223		-		50,088	-		-		
	-		1, 4 06	1,425		26		408		-		243	-		237		
	-		10,000	19,436			_								95,294		
	31,712		35,105	20,861		485,691		101,631		-		50,331	-		95,531		
	11,938		_	_		_		_		_		_	_		_		
	-		31,682	44,600		500		300		300		24,975	138		224		
	_		-	-		-		_		_		-	_		_		
	_		-	-		-		_		_		_	_		_		
	_		-	-		445,000		85,000		685,000		-	485,000		25,000		
			484			53,070		15,924		153,750		138	61,725		250,094		
	11,938		32,166	44,600		498,570		101,224		839,050		25,113	546,863		275,318		
	19,774		2,939	(23,739)		(12,879)		407		(839,050)		25,218	(546,863)		(179,787)		
	-		-	-		-		-		839,050		-	546,863		179,800		
															-		
										839,050			546,863		179,800		
	19,774		2,939	(23,739)		(12,879)		407		-		25,218	-		13		
	25,937		16,648	32,644		28,404	_	2,747				3,953			8,360		
\$	45,711	\$	19,587	\$ 8,905	\$	15,525	\$	3,154	\$		\$	29,171	\$ -	\$	8,373		

						С	apital F	Projects Funds
	lobile mmand	Jail E	expansion	:house vement	Bu	iistration ilding vations	Capita	al Replacement
Revenue								
Taxes	\$ -	\$	-	\$ -	\$	-	\$	-
Federal sources	-		-	-		-		-
State sources	-		-	-		-		-
Charges for services	-		-	-		-		102,744
Contributions from local units	-		-	-		-		-
Interest earned	-		60,106	-		2,054		145,898
Other	 -			 		-		-
Total revenue	-		60,106	-		2,054		248,642
Expenditures								
Current:								
Public safety	-		-	-		-		-
Community and economic development	-		-	-		-		-
Health and welfare	-		-	-		-		-
Capital outlay	-		555	-		25,435		-
Principal	-		-	-		-		-
Interest	 		-	 				-
Total expenditures	 		555			25,435		
Excess of Revenue Over (Under) Expenditures	-		59,551	_		(23,381)		248,642
Other Financing Sources (Uses) Operating transfers in	_		1,500,000	_		_		890,000
Operating transfers out			1,500,000					(55,170)
Operating transfers out	 			 				(33,170)
Total other financing sources (uses)	-		1,500,000					834,830
Net Change in Fund Balances	-		1,559,551	-		(23,381)		1,083,472
Fund Balances - Beginning of year	1,984		22,558	105		51,675		2,247,448
Fund Balances - End of year	\$ 1,984	\$	1,582,109	\$ 105	\$	28,294	\$	3,330,920

Other Supplemental Information Combining Statement of Revenue, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances - Nonmajor Governmental Funds (Continued) Year Ended December 31, 2007

Permanent Fund

West Complex		То	tal Nonmajor
Construction Grant	 Cemetery		Funds
\$ -	\$ -	\$	-
-	-		2,300,387
=	-		2,111,297
=	-		754,381
=	=		636,976
-	-		342,892
	 -	-	266,032
-	-		6,411,965
-	_		517,666
-	-		390,486
=	17		5,295,060
20,755	-		46,745
-	-		1,725,000
	 		535,185
20,755	 17		8,510,142
(20,755)	(17)		(2,098,177)
-	-		5,680,907
	 		(90,440)
	 		5,590,467
(20,755)	(17)		3,492,290
36,390	 26,402		5,760,978
\$ 15,635	\$ 26,385	\$	9,253,268

Other Supplemental Information Combining Statement of Net Assets Internal Service Funds December 31, 2007

		Building Information							
		Services	Te	echnology		Carpool	Benefits		Total
Assets									
Cash and investments	\$	113,756	\$	369,303	\$	1,572,463	\$ 2,047,953	\$	4,103,475
Accounts receivable	·	18,953	•	1,399	•	-	-	•	20,352
Due from other funds		86,500		-		-	_		86,500
Equipment - Net		, -		270,552		431,704	-		702,256
Other assets	_	-		157,749			40,356		198,105
Total assets		219,209		799,003		2,004,167	2,088,309		5,110,688
Liabilities									
Accounts payable		126,872		134,079		35,476	17,336		313,763
Due to other funds		-		24,324		35,780	-		60,104
Advances to other funds		-		218,913		-	-		218,913
Other current liabilities		92,157		126,619					218,776
Total liabilities		219,029		503,935		71,256	17,336		811,556
Net Assets									
Investment in capital assets -									
Net of related debt		-		270,552		431,704	-		702,256
Unrestricted		180		24,516		1,501,207	2,070,973		3,596,876
Total net assets	\$	180	\$	295,068	\$	1,932,911	\$ 2,070,973	\$	4,299,132

Other Supplemental Information Combining Statement of Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets (Deficit) Internal Service Funds Year Ended December 31, 2007

	Building Services		Information Technology		Carpool		Benefits			Total
Operating Revenue - Charges for services	\$	2,556,557	\$	2,872,353	\$	873,756	\$	7,051,021	\$	13,353,687
Operating Expenses										
Personnel		1,319,858		1,250,543		-		6,733,887		9,304,288
Operating expenses		1,331,132		1,399,792		604,412		-		3,335,336
Depreciation expense		-		120,879		300,141		-		421,020
Gain on sale of assets			_			(3,469)	_		_	(3,469)
Total operating expenses	_	2,650,990	_	2,771,214	_	901,084	_	6,733,887	_	13,057,175
Operating Income (Loss)		(94,433)		101,139		(27,328)		317,134		296,512
Operating Transfers In	_	141,670	_		_		_	500,000	_	641,670
Net Income (Loss)		47,237		101,139		(27,328)		817,134		938,182
Net Assets (Deficit) - January 1, 2007	_	(47,057)		193,929		1,960,239		1,253,839		3,360,950
Net Assets - December 31, 2007	\$	180	\$	295,068	\$	1,932,911	\$	2,070,973	\$	4,299,132

Other Supplemental Information Combining Statement of Cash Flows Internal Service Funds Year Ended December 31, 2007

			ı	nformation						
	Bui	Iding Services	-	Гесhnology		Carpool		Benefits		Total
Cash Flows from Operating Activities										
Receipts from other funds	\$	2,463,612	\$	3,057,692	\$	880,605	\$	7,084,825	\$	13,486,734
Payments to suppliers		(1,297,621)		(1,549,156)		(602,144)		(7,198)		(3,456,119)
Payments to employees	_	(1,306,749)	_	(1,219,624)	_			(6,733,887)	_	(9,260,260)
Net cash (used in) provided by										
operating activities		(140,758)		288,912		278,461		343,740		770,355
Cash Flows from Capital and Related Financing Activities										
Purchase of capital assets		-		(208,367)		(156,632)		-		(364,999)
Proceeds from sale of assets			_	<u> </u>	_	55,487	_	<u> </u>	_	55,487
Net cash used in capital financing activities		-		(208,367)		(101,145)		-		(309,512)
Cash Flows from Noncapital Financing Activities -										
Operating transfer in		141,670	_		_		_	500,000	_	641,670
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash										
Equivalents		912		80,545		177,316		843,740		1,102,513
Cash and Cash Equivalents - January 1, 2007		112,844	_	288,758	_	1,395,147		1,204,213	_	3,000,962
Cash and Cash Equivalents - December 31, 2007	\$	113,756	\$	369,303	\$	1,572,463	\$	2,047,953	\$	4,103,475
Reconciliation of Operating Income (Loss) to Net Cash from Operating Activities										
Operating income (loss)	\$	(94,433)	\$	101,139	\$	(27,328)	\$	317,134	\$	296,512
Adjustments to reconcile operating income (loss) to net cash from operating activities:										
Depreciation		-		120,879		300,141		-		421,020
Gain on sale of fixed assets		-		-		(3,469)		-		(3,469)
Changes in asset and liability balances:										
Accounts receivable		(6,445)		6,511		-		-		66
Due from other funds		(86,500)		60,000		-		-		(26,500)
Other assets		-		(157,749)		2,837		33,804		(121,108)
Accounts payable		33,510		(8,559)		2,268		(7,198)		20,021
Accrued liabilities		13,110		41,352		-		-		54,462
Advances to other funds		-		101,015		-		-		101,015
Due to other funds			_	24,324	_	4,012	_	<u>-</u>	_	28,336
Net cash (used in) provided by										
operating activities	\$	(140,758)	\$	288,912	\$	278,461	\$	343,740	\$	770,355

Other Supplemental Information Combining Statement of Assets and Liabilities Fiduciary Funds December 31, 2007

	Agency	y Funds	
	Trust and	Library Penal	
	Agency	Fines	Total
Assets			
Cash	\$ 2,524,482	\$ 398,432	\$ 2,922,914
Other assets	4,226	3,197	7,423
Total assets	\$ 2,528,708	\$ 401,629	\$ 2,930,337
Liabilities			
Due to other governmental units	\$ 686,090	\$ -	\$ 686,090
Other liabilities	1,842,618	401,629	2,244,247
Total liabilities	\$ 2,528,708	\$ 401,629	\$ 2,930,337

Livingston Essential Transportation System Schedule of Operating, Nonoperating, and Other Revenue Sources Year Ended December 31, 2007

	-	anuary I, 2007 to		ctober I, 2007 to			
	Sep	2007	De	2007		Total	
Operating Revenues							
Demand-response - Passenger fares	\$	70,15 4	\$	24,630	\$	94,784	
Special transit fares - Contracts		91,175		45,454		136,629	
Rent - EMS		49,032		24,516		73,548	
Other:							
Sale of fuel to EMS		27,703		12,683		40,386	
Outside services		22,330		9,537		31,867	
Insurance reimbursement		4,297		-		4,297	
Miscellaneous reimbursement		270		250		520	
Donations		486		-		486	
Total other		55,086		22,470		77,556	
Less insurance proceeds used for transportation				(4,297)		(4,297)	
Net other revenue		55,086		18,173		73,259	
Total operating revenues	<u>\$</u>	265,447	\$	112,773	\$	378,220	
Nonoperating Revenues							
Federal Operating and Capital Grants:							
U.S. DOT Operating Grant - Section 5307 (2007 and 2008)	\$	599,251	\$	273,911	\$	873,162	
U.S. DOT Operating Grant - Section 5307 (2005 and 2006)	•	, -	•	16,619	•	16,619	
U.S. DOT Capital Grant - Section 5307		534,244		, -		534,244	
U.S. DOT Capital Grant - Preventative Maintenance -							
Section 5307		128,000		105,581		233,581	
Federal Capital Grant - Capital Assistance -							
Section 5309		79,176		1,914		81,090	
Non Transportaion Revenue - SDNT Planning Grant		20,350		-		20,350	١
State Operating and Capital Grants:							
State Operating Reconciliations - Prior							
Year Underpayments		46,599		139,469		186,068	
State Capital Matching Grant		48,877		50,130		99,007	
Transit Operating Assistance		431,019		198,666		629,685	
Transit Operating Assistance - State Withholdings for							
Prior Year Overpayments		(28,190)		(21,357)		(49,547)	
Total nonoperating revenue	<u>\$</u>	1,859,326	\$	764,933	\$	2,624,259	

A - Expenses incurred to generate this revenue were not included in eligible expenses. As such, this item will also be excluded from ineligible expenses.

Livingston Essential Transportation System Schedule of Operating Expenses Year Ended December 31, 2007

			General							
	(Operations	Ma	aintenance	Adı	ministration		Total		
Labor	\$	827,685	\$	40,538	\$	107,695	\$	975,918		
Pension		88,027		4,738		11,554		104,319		
Other fringe benefits		304,325		16,382		39,944		360,651		
Services		88,434		170,987		233,790		493,211		
Materials and supplies consumed:										
Fuel and lubricants		188,105		-		-		188,105		
Other materials and supplies		18,338		346		12,504		31,188		
Utilities		-		-		55,489		55,489		
Casualty and liability costs		184		-		-		184		
Miscellaneous		6,136		590		33,518		40,244		
Operating leases and rentals		19,028		-		11,523		30,551		
Ineligible costs:										
Depreciation		268,051		-		-		268,051		
Other		6,172						6,172		
Total operating expenses		1,814,485		233,581		506,017		2,554,083		
Nonoperating planning grant						12,075	_	12,075		
Total expenses	\$	1,814,485	\$	233,581	\$	518,092	\$	2,566,158		

Livingston Essential Transportation System Schedule of Net Eligible Cost Computations of General Operations Year Ended December 31, 2007

	•	January I, 2007 to ptember 30, 2007	2	ctober I, 2007 to cember 3I, 2007		Total	
Labor	\$	701,297	\$	274,621	\$	975,918	
Pension		82,753		21,566		104,319	
Other fringe benefits	277,701			82,950		360,651	
Services		281,750		217,633		499,383	
Materials and supplies consumed:							
Fuel and lubricants		121,475		66,630		188,105	
Other materials and supplies		18,367		12,821		31,188	
Utilities		31,819		23,670		55,489	
Casualty and liability costs		184		-		184	
Depreciation		201,055		66,996		268,051	
Operating leases and rentals		22,186		8,365		30,551	
Miscellaneous		33,574		6,670		40,244	
Total operating expenses		1,772,161		781,922		2,554,083	
Ineligible operating expenses:							
Revenue associated with fuel sold to County EMS		27,702		12,683		40,385	
Revenue associated with rentals		49,032		24,516		73,548	
Ineligible association dues		107		-		107	
U.S. DOT capital grant - Preventitive							
maintenance Section 5307		128,000		105,581		233,581	
Grant reimbursed building repairs		6,173		-		6,173	
Salary and wage reimbursements from							
other departments		22,330		9,537		31,867	Α
Depreciation		201,055		66,996		268,051	
Total ineligible expenses		434,399	-	219,313	-	653,712	
Total eligible expenses	\$	1,337,762	\$	562,609	\$	1,900,371	

Capital money used to pay for operating expenses have been subtracted out as inelibible, and are not included in the costs to be reimbursed by the State.

A - One individual splits time between LETS and the Carpool; a portion of this individual's salary is reimbursed by the Carpool fund, based on actual hours attributable to the Carpool fund.

Livingston Essential Transportation System Schedule of Revenues and Eligible and Ineligible Expenditures Year Ended December 31, 2007

			ober I, 106 to	-	anuary I, 2007 to		
	-		mber 31, 2006	Sep	otember 30, 2007		Total
Operating Revenues							
Demand-response - Passenger fares	\$	5	23,174	\$	70,154	\$	93,328
Special transit fares - Contracts			51,261		91,175		142,436
Rent - EMS			18,378		49,032		67,410
Other:							
Sale of fuel to EMS			7,761		27,703		35,464
Outside services			9,833		22,330		32,163
Insurance reimbursement			(41,032)		4,297		(36,735)
Miscellaneous reimbursement			-		270		270
Sale of vehicles			15,560		-		15,560
Donations	_				486		486
Total other revenue			(7,878)		55,086		47,208
Less insurance proceeds used for transportation	_				(4,297)		(4,297)
Net other revenue	_		(7,878)		50,789		42,911
Total operating revenues	<u> </u>	•	84,935	\$	261,150	\$	346,085
Operating Expenses							
Labor	\$	5	254,713	\$	701,297	\$	956,010
Other fringe benefits			94,403		359,031		453,434
Services			102,700		281,750		384,450
Materials and supplies consumed:							
Fuel and lubricants			42,402		121,475		163,877
Other materials and supplies			12,468		18,367		30,835
Utilities			17,356		31,819		49,175
Casualty and liability costs			-		184		184
Depreciation			52,205		201,055		253,260
Operating leases and rentals			20,749		22,186		42,935
Miscellaneous	_		8,490		33,574		42,064
Total operating expenses			605,486		1,770,738		2,376,224
Less Ineligible Expenses							
Fuel sold to EMS			7,761		27,703		35,464
Rent from EMS			18,387		49,032		67,419
MPTA dues			-		107		107
Preventative maintenance			-		128,000		128,000
Bldg repairs reimbursed by grants			-		6,173		6,173
Reimbursement from car pool			9,833		22,330		32,163
Depreciation	_		52,205		201,055		253,260
Total ineligible expenses	-		88,186		434,400		522,586
Total eligible expenses	<u> </u>	\$	517,300	\$	1,336,338	\$,853,638

Livingston Essential Transportation System Schedule of Property and Equipment December 31, 2007

		Cost Accumulated Depreciation					
		_	Cost	De	preciation		Total
Buildings and building improvements	Intermodel Building	\$	2,302,676	\$	344,362	\$	1,958,314
Vehicles and vehicle equipment:							
Grant Agreement - 99-0426 & 99-0787 (paid by State)	2 Eldorado National Busses		157,182		148,594		8,588
Grant MI-03-0169 Fed 5307 & 2000-0485 (State Match)	3 Eldorado National Busses		246,543		166,023		80,520
Grant MI-03-0189 Fed 5307 & 2002-0060 (State Match)	3 Eldorado National Busses		260,721		168,812		91,909
Grant MI 90-X425 Fed Sec 5307 & 2002-0060 Z14 (State Match)	3 Dodge Mini-Vans		46,518		22,705		23,813
Grant MI-03-0189 & MI-03-0192 - Fed 5309 (2002) &	_						
2002-0060 Z11 (State Match)	3 Ford E-350 Cut-Away Busses		141,822		59,036		82,786
Grant MI-03-0192 Fed 5309 (2003) &	•						
2002-0060 Z11 (State Match)	3 Eldorado National Busses		153,048		62,495		90,553
Grant MI-03-0212 Fed 5309 (2004) &							
2002-0060 ZII (State Match)	l Eldorado National Bus		79,541		19,851		59,690
Grant MI-03-0212 Fed 5309 (2004) &			•		,		,
2002-0060-Z11 RI (State Match)	I Ford E-350 Passenger Van		20.591		2,996		17.595
Grant MI 90-X425 & MI 90-X453 Fed Sec 5307 &	8		,		,		,
2002-0060 Z14 & Z15 (State Match)	3 Eldorado National Busses		244,344		75,954		168,390
Grant MI 90-x425 Fed Sec 5307 & MI 90-x453 Fed Sec 5307 &			,		,		,
MI 90-x453 Fed Sec 5307 & 2002-0060 Z15 (State Match)	l Eldorado National Bus		81,449		9.957		71.492
Grant MI 90-x453 Fed Sec 5307 & 2002-0060 Z15 (State Match)	l Eldorado National Bus		80,941		9,957		70,984
Grant MI 90-X453 Fed Sec 5307	I Eldorado National Bus		79,161		8,913		70,248
Grant MI 030-0226 Fed Sec 5307 & 2002-0060 Z16 (State Match)	l Eldorado National Bus		79.161		9.317		69,844
Grant MI 90-X425 Fed Sec 5307 & 2002-0060 Z14 (State Match)	Bus Back up Cameras		13.585		1,359		12.226
Grant MI 90-X453 Fed Sec 5307 & 2002-0060 ZI5 (State Match)	Bus Radios		1.855		2,264		(409)
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Total vehicles and vehicle equipment			1,686,462		768,232		918,230
Office furniture - Purchased with local funds			43,210		33,913	_	9,297
Total property and equipment		\$	4,032,348	\$	1,146,507	\$	2,885,841

Livingston Essential Transportation System Statistical Data - Public Transportation Mileage Data (Unaudited) December 31, 2007

	Total Mileage	Passenger Trips
Demand - Response mileage data (unaudited):		
First quarter	182,328	22,820
Second quarter	184,505	24,514
Third quarter	182,997	23,490
Fourth quarter	173,863	24,315
Total	723,693	95,139

Statistical Information Financial Trends (Unaudited) December 31, 2007

Financial Position (Status of Assets, Liabilities, and Equity)	 2003	2004	 2005	2006	 2007
General Fund:					
Unreserved fund balance compared to expenditures	25.6%	23.2%	27.1%	33.3%	36.8%
Current ratio (assets/liabilities, excluding deferred revenue)	5.9	6.8	6.6	9.9	10.1
All governmental activities:					
Unreserved fund balance compared to expenditures	28.3%	25.9%	31.0%	42.1%	51.6%
Current ratio (assets/liabilities, excluding deferred revenue)	6.4	7.4	9.2	15.4	17.1
Fiscal Capacity (Measures of Ability to Raise Revenue,					
Incur Debt, and Meet Obligations)					
General Fund:					
Property taxes per capita (operating millage only)	\$ 123	\$ 129	\$ 140	\$ 150	\$ 154
Millage capacity (ability to levy additional taxes without a vote)	None	None	None	None	None
Expenditures per capita	\$ 197	\$ 211	\$ 208	\$ 214	\$ 215
Ratio of revenues compared to expenditures	1.09	1.03	1.06	1.08	1.10
All governmental activities:					
Total property taxes levied per capita (with extra voted mills)	\$ 138	\$ 145	\$ 149	\$ 161	\$ 166
County taxes paid per household	\$ 275	\$ 278	\$ 283	\$ 299	\$ 309
County taxes paid per household as a percentage of household					
income	0.410%	0.413%	0.397%	0.444%	0.461%
Taxable value (in 000s)	\$ 6,592,435	\$ 7,155,612	\$ 7,757,535	\$ 8,348,502	\$ 8,793,696
Annual change in taxable value	8.2%	8.5%	8.4%	7.6%	5.3%
State equalized value (SEV)	\$ 8,538,149	\$ 9,324,352	\$ 10,060,876	\$ 10,641,862	\$ 10,617,612
Annual change in SEV	11.5%	9.2%	17.8%	24.6%	24.4%
Debt information:					
County-funded debt per capita	\$ 95	\$ 89	\$ 91	\$ 85	\$ 79
Debt saturation (percent of debt limitation utilized)	3.0%	2.4%	2.1%	1.7%	1.4%

Federal Awards
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December 31, 2007

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Independent Auditor's Report

To the Board of Commissioners Livingston County, Michigan

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, the aggregate discretely presented component units, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Livingston County, Michigan as of and for the year ended December 31, 2007, which collectively comprise the County's basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated June 19, 2008. Those basic financial statements are the responsibility of the County's management. Our responsibility was to express opinions on those basic financial statements based on our audit. We did not audit the Livingston County Road Commission, whose assets and revenue totaled \$124,918,750 and \$17,996,065, respectively. Those financial statements were audited by other auditors, whose reports thereon have been furnished to us, and our opinion, insofar as it relates to the amounts included for the Livingston County Road Commission, is based solely on the reports of the other auditors.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the basic financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the basic financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise Livingston County, Michigan's basic financial statements. The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards is presented for the purpose of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. The information in this schedule has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

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Report on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting and on Compliance and Other Matters Based on an Audit of Financial Statements Performed in Accordance with Government Auditing Standards

To the Board of Commissioners Livingston County, Michigan

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, the aggregate discretely presented component units, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Livingston County, Michigan as of and for the year ended December 31, 2007, which collectively comprise the County's basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated June 19, 2008. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. We did not audit the Livingston County Road Commission, whose assets and revenue totaled \$124,918,750 and \$17,996,065, respectively. Those financial statements were audited by other auditors whose reports thereon have been furnished to us, and our opinion, insofar as it relates to the amounts included for the Livingston County Road Commission, is based solely on the reports of the other auditors.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered Livingston County, Michigan's internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of Livingston County, Michigan's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of Livingston County, Michigan's internal control over financial reporting.

A control deficiency exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect misstatements on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the entity's ability to initiate, authorize, record, process, or report financial data reliably in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles such that there is more than a remote likelihood that a misstatement of entity's financial statements that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control.

A material weakness is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies, that results in more than a remote likelihood that a material misstatement of the financial statements will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control.



To the Board of Commissioners Livingston County, Michigan

Our consideration of the internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether Livingston County, Michigan's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit and, accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of management, the board, others within the County, officials of the State of Michigan, federal awarding agencies, and pass-through entities and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

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June 19, 2008

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Report on Compliance with Requirements Applicable to Each Major Program and on Internal Control Over Compliance in Accordance with OMB Circular A-133

To the Board of Directors Livingston County, Michigan

Compliance

We have audited the compliance of Livingston County, Michigan with the types of compliance requirements described in the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-133 Compliance Supplement that are applicable to each of its major federal programs for the year ended December 31, 2007. The major federal programs of Livingston County, Michigan are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs. Compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants applicable to each of its major federal programs is the responsibility of Livingston County, Michigan's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on Livingston County, Michigan's compliance based on our audit.

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and OMB Circular A-133, Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations. Those standards and OMB Circular A-133 require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about Livingston County, Michigan's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion. Our audit does not provide a legal determination on Livingston County, Michigan's compliance with those requirements.

In our opinion, Livingston County, Michigan complied, in all material respects, with the requirements referred to above that are applicable to each of its major federal programs for the year ended December 31, 2007.



To the Board of Commissioners Livingston County, Michigan

Internal Control Over Compliance

The management of Livingston County, Michigan is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants applicable to federal programs. In planning and performing our audit, we considered Livingston County, Michigan's internal control over compliance with the requirements that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on compliance, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control over compliance.

A control deficiency in an entity's internal control over compliance exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the entity's ability to administer a federal program such that there is more than a remote likelihood that noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control.

A material weakness is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies, that results in more than a remote likelihood that material noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control.

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of management, the board, others within the County, officials of the State of Michigan, federal awarding agencies, and pass-through entities and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

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June 19, 2008

Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards Year Ended December 31, 2007

			Federal
Federal Agency/Pass-through Agency Program Title	CFDA Number	Exp	oenditures
U.S. Department of Agriculture - Passed through the State of Michigan Department			
of Health:			
Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children	10.557	\$	175,433
WIC - Special Project	10.557		100
Total U.S. Department of Agriculture			175,533
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services - Passed through the State of Michigan	1 -		
Michigan Department of Community Health:			
Bioterrorism	93.283		309,510
Immunization Grants	93.268		66,135
Immunization - Nurse Education	93.268		2,100
IMM - Centralized Vaccine	93.268		4,008
IMM - VFC	93.268		2,600
Immunizations - AFIX	93.268		600
Vaccines Provided	93.268		595,578
Child Support Enforcement - Medical Support	93.563		30,443
Child Support Enforcement - Cooperative Agreement	93.563		857,470
Child Support Enforcement - Cooperative Agreement Incentives	93.563		236,259
Family Support - Cooperative Reimbursement	93.563		180,764
Medicaid Outreach Activities	93.778		200,863
CSHCS - SIDS	93.994		10,427
CSHCS - Care Coordination	93.778		12,958
CSHCS	93.778		10,177
Maternal and Child Health Services	93.994		40,551
Total U.S. Department of Health and Human Services			2,560,443
U.S. Department of Homeland Security - Passed through the Michigan State Police:			
Homeland Security Grant Program - LETPP	97.067		215,637
Emergency Management Performance Grant (EMPG)	97.042		116,531
Total U.S. Department of Homeland Security			332,168

Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards (Continued) Year Ended December 31, 2007

Federal Agency/Pass-through Agency Program Title	CFDA Number	E	Federal Expenditures		
U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development - Community Development					
Block Grant Program	14.218	\$	114,359		
U.S. Department of Justice:					
Federal Equitable Share Funds	16.unknown		119,481		
Passed through the Michigan Office of Community Oriented Policing Services -					
COPS Universal Hiring Program Grant	16.710		15,710		
Passed through the Department of State Police - Office of Highway Safety - Adult					
Drug Court- Discretionary Grant Program	16.585		75,416		
Total U.S. Department of Justice			210,607		
U.S. Department of Labor:					
Passed through the Michigan Department of Labor and Economic Growth:					
Trade Adjustment Assistance - 9/30/07 program	17.245		398,697		
Trade Adjustment Assistance - 9/30/08 program	17.245		81,706		
Employment Service/Wagner-Peyser Funded Activities - 6/30/07 program	17.207		102,383		
Employment Service/Wagner-Peyser Funded Activities - 6/30/08 program	17.207		146,936		
Reed Act - Work First	17.unknown		18,295		
Work First (TANF) - 09/30/07 program	93.558		100,741		
TANF - Jet	93.558		38,608		
TANF - Support Services	93.558		40,000		
Total passed through the Michigan Department of Career Devel	lopment		927,366		
Workforce Investment Act:					
Adult - 6/30/07 program	17.258	*	154,109		
Adult - 6/30/08 program	17.258	*	121,379		
Youth Activities - 6/30/07 program	17.259	*	120,477		
Youth Activities - 6/30/08 program	17.259	*	110,653		
Dislocated Worker - 6/30/07 program	17.260	*	296,039		
Dislocated Worker - 6/30/08 program	17.260	*	249,717		
Statewide Activities - Displaced Homemaker - 6/30/07 program	17.260	*	8,817		
WIA Local Administration - 6/30/07 program	17.260	*	55,481		
WIA Local Administration - 6/30/08 program	17.260	*	47,920		
Rapid Response - Incumbent Worker	17.260	*	36,295		
Statewide Activities - Capacity Building and Technical Assistance	17.260	*	24,000		
Statewide Activities - One Stop Operations - 6/30/07 program	17.260	*	29,506		

Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards (Continued) Year Ended December 31, 2007

			Federal
Federal Agency/Pass-through Agency Program Title	CFDA Number		Expenditures
U.S. Department of Labor (Continued):			
Workforce Investment Act (Continued):			
Statewide Activities - One Stop Operations - 6/30/08 program	17.260	*	\$ 25,323
WIA - Statewide Activities - Work First	17.260	*	10,047
Statewide Activities - Performance - 6/30/08 program	17.260	*	1,500
Statewide Activities - Incumbent Worker Training Program	17.260	*	30,256
Work Incentive - Disability Program Navigator	17.266		8,150
Total Workforce Investment Act			1,329,669
Total U.S. Department of Labor			2,257,035
U.S. Department of Transportation:			
Federal Section 5307 Capital Assistance - 2003	20.507	*	299,707
Federal Section 5307 Capital Assistance - 2004	20.507	*	145,395
Federal Section 5307 Capital Assistance - 2005	20.507	*	89,142
Federal Section 5307 Operating Assistance - 2005	20.507	*	16,619
Federal Section 5307 Operating Assistance - 2007	20.507	*	599,251
Federal Section 5307 Capital Assistance - 2007	20.507	*	128,000
Federal Section 5307 Capital Assistance - 2008	20.507	*	105,581
Federal Section 5307 Operating Assistance - 2008	20.507	*	273,911
Passed through the Michigan Department of Transportation:			
Federal Section 5309 Operating Assistance - 2004	20.500	*	1,914
Federal Section 5309 Operating Assistance - 2005	20.500	*	63,341
SDNT grant - 2004	20.514		16,280
Total passed through the Michigan Department of Transportation	n		81,535
Total U.S. Department of Transportation			1,739,141
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency - Passed through the Michigan Department of			
Environmental Quality:			
Noncommercial Water Supply Grant	66.471		38,850
Noncommercial Water Supply Grant	66.468		4,294
Total U.S. Environmental Protection Agency			43,144

^{*} Denotes that grant program is part of a cluster

Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards (Continued) Year Ended December 31, 2007

			Federal
Federal Agency/Pass-through Agency Program Title	CFDA Number	Ex	penditures
U.S. Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation - Passed through t	he		
Michigan Department of Transportation:			
Runway Construction Grant - Project No. F-26-0047-3504	20.106	\$	205,229
Land - Parcel E13,E14,E37,E38,E41,E52,E59 - Project No. E-26-0047-4306	20.106		11,651
Total U.S. Federal Aviation Administration			216,880
Total Federal Awards		\$	7,649,310

^{*} Denotes that grant program is part of a cluster

Notes to Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards Year Ended December 31, 2007

Note - Significant Accounting Policies

The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards includes the federal grant activity of Livingston County, Michigan and is presented on the same basis of accounting as the basic financial statements. The information in this schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of OMB Circular A-133, Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations. Therefore, some amounts presented in this schedule may differ from amounts presented in, or used in the preparation of, the basic financial statements.

Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs Year Ended December 31, 2007

Section I - Summary of Auditor's Results

Fina	ancial Statements					
Тур	e of auditor's report	issued: Unqualified				
Inte	rnal control over fina	ncial reporting:				
•	Material weakness id	entified?		Yes	_X_	No
	Significant deficiency not considered to be	identified that are material weaknesses?		Yes	_X	None reported
	ncompliance material statements noted?	to financial		Yes	_X_	No
Fed	leral Awards					
Inte	rnal control over maj	or programs:				
•	Material weakness id	entified?		Yes	_X_	No
	Significant deficiency not considered to be	identified that are material weaknesses?		Yes	_X_	None reported
Тур	e of auditor's report	issued on compliance f	for majo	or progra	ams: U	nqualified
•	audit findings disclos to be reported in acc Section 510(a) of Cir	ordance with		Yes	X_	₋ No
lder	ntification of major pr	ograms:				
	CFDA Number(s)	Nam	e of Fe	deral Pr	ogram (or Cluster
		Federal Transportation				
	20.507	•			deral Se	ection 5309 Assistance
	93.563	Child Support Enforce	ement	Grant		
Dol	lar threshold used to	distinguish between ty	pe A an	ıd type E	3 progra	ams: \$300,000
Auc	litee qualified as low	risk auditee?	X	Yes		No

Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs (Continued) Year Ended December 31, 2007

Section II - Financial Statement Audit Findings

None

Section III - Federal Program Audit Findings

None

Report to the Board of Commissioners

December 31, 2007



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To the Board of Commissioners Livingston County

We have recently completed our audit of the basic financial statements of Livingston County (the "County") for the year ended December 31, 2007. In addition to our audit report, we are providing the following letter of required audit communication, summary of unrecorded possible adjustments, and recommendations which impact the County:

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We would like to thank all of the County personnel for their cooperation and patience extended to our staff during the audit process. We would be happy to answer any questions you have regarding the basic financial statements or to assist you with any other items.

Plante & Moran, PLLC

June 19, 2008





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Results of the Audit

To the Board of Commissioners Livingston County, Michigan 200 East Grand River Avenue Howell, Michigan 48843

We have audited the financial statements of Livingston County for the year ended December 31, 2007 and have issued our report thereon dated June 19, 2008. Professional standards require that we provide you with the following information related to our audit.

Our Responsibility Under U.S. Generally Accepted Auditing Standards

As stated in our engagement letter dated April 5, 2008, our responsibility, as described by professional standards, is to express an opinion about whether the financial statements prepared by management with your oversight are fairly presented, in all material respects, in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles. We are responsible for planning and performing the audit to obtain reasonable, but not absolute, assurance that the financial statements are free of material misstatement. As part of our audit, we considered the internal control of Livingston County. Our consideration of internal control was solely for the purpose of determining our audit procedures and not to provide any assurance concerning such internal control.

We are responsible for communicating significant matters related to the audit that are, in our professional judgment, relevant to your responsibilities in overseeing the financial reporting process. However, we are not required to design procedures specifically to identify such matters and our audit of the financial statements does not relieve you or management of your responsibilities.

Our audit of Livingston County's financial statements has also been conducted in accordance with Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Under Government Auditing Standards, we have made some assessments of Livingston County's compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements. While those assessments are not sufficient to identify all noncompliance with applicable laws, regulations, and contract provisions, we are required to communicate all noncompliance conditions that come to our attention. We are required to communicate any conditions in a separate letter, dated June 19, 2008, regarding our consideration of the Livingston County's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements. No such conditions were required to be communicated.



To the Board of Commissioners Livingston County, Michigan

We also are obligated to communicate certain matters related to our audit to those responsible for the governance of Livingston County, including certain instances of error or fraud and significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit. In certain situations, Government Auditing Standards requires disclosure of illegal acts to applicable government agencies. If such illegal acts were detected during our audit, we would be required to make disclosures regarding these acts to applicable government agencies. No such disclosures were required.

Planned Scope and Timing of the Audit

We performed the audit according to the planned scope and timing previously communicated to you in our meeting about planning matters on April 14, 2008.

Significant Audit Findings

Qualitative Aspects of Accounting Practices

Management is responsible for the selection and use of appropriate accounting policies. In accordance with the terms of our engagement letter, we will advise management about the appropriateness of accounting policies and their application. The significant accounting policies used by Livingston County are described in Note I to the financial statements. As described in Notes I2 and 7, the County implemented an accounting policy related to other postemployment benefits and revenues pledged in connection with local unit debt by adopting Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) No. 43, Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefits Plans Other Than Pension Plans, and Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) No. 48, Sales and Pledges of Receivables and Future Revenues and Intra-Entity Transfers of Assets and Future Revenues, in 2007. In addition, the County corrected its reporting of the septage receiving station from being reported as part of the Department of Public Works Component Unit to be properly reported as an Enterprise Fund of the County, resulting in a prior period adjustment of \$72,486 for the Component Unit and \$279,567 for the business-type activities of the County.

We noted no transactions entered into by the County during the year for which there is a lack of authoritative guidance or consensus.

There are no significant transactions that have been recognized in the financial statements in a different period than when the transaction occurred.

To the Board of Commissioners Livingston County, Michigan

Accounting estimates are an integral part of the financial statements prepared by management and are based on management's knowledge and experience about past and current events and assumptions about future events. Certain accounting estimates are particularly sensitive because of their significance to the financial statements and because of the possibility that future events affecting them may differ significantly from those expected. The most sensitive estimates affecting the financial statements are:

- Landfill postclosure liability as reported and disclosed in Note 6
- Self-insured liability for general liability and medical benefits as disclosed in Note 10
- Net pension asset as reported and disclosed in Note 11
- Valuation of actuarial accrued liability for pension benefits and other postemployment benefits as disclosed in Note 11 and Note 12

Management's estimate of the landfill postclosure liability and self-insured liability is based on the County's calculation of future expenditures for these expenses. Management's estimate of the net pension asset and valuation of the actuarial accrued liability for pension benefits and other postemployment benefits is actuarially calculated. We evaluated the key factors and assumptions used to develop the accounting estimates in determining that it is reasonable in relation to the financial statements taken as a whole.

Difficulties Encountered in Performing the Audit

We encountered no significant difficulties in dealing with management in performing and completing our audit.

Corrected and Uncorrected Misstatements

Professional standards require us to accumulate all known and likely misstatements identified during the audit, other than those that are trivial, and communicate them to the appropriate level of management. The attached schedule summarizes uncorrected misstatements of the financial statements. Management has determined that their effects are immaterial, both individually and in the aggregate, to the financial statements taken as a whole. In addition, none of the misstatements detected as a result of audit procedures and corrected by management were material, either individually or in the aggregate, to the financial statements taken as a whole.

Disagreements with Management

For the purpose of this letter, professional standards define a disagreement with management as a financial accounting, reporting, or auditing matter, whether or not resolved to our satisfaction, that could be significant to the financial statements or the auditor's report. We are pleased to report that no such disagreements arose during the course of our audit.

To the Board of Commissioners Livingston County, Michigan

Management Representations

We have requested certain representations from management that are included in the management representation letter dated June 19, 2008.

Management Consultations with Other Independent Accountants

In some cases, management may decide to consult with other accountants about auditing and accounting matters, similar to obtaining a "second opinion" on certain situations. If a consultation involves application of an accounting principle to the County's financial statements or a determination of the type of auditor's opinion that may be expressed on those statements, our professional standards require the consulting accountant to check with us to determine that the consultant has all the relevant facts. To our knowledge, there were no such consultations with other accountants.

Other Audit Findings or Issues

In the normal course of our professional association with the County we generally discuss a variety of matters, including the application of accounting principles and auditing standards, business conditions affecting the County, and business plans and strategies that may affect the risks of material misstatement. None of the matters discussed resulted in a condition of our retention as the County's auditors.

This information is intended solely for the use of the Board of Commissioners and management of Livingston County and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Very truly yours,

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SUMMARY OF UNRECORDED POSSIBLE ADJUSTMENTS Increases (decreases)

Ref. #	<u> </u>	Description of Misstatement	Assets	<u> </u>	l	iabilities	Net Asse	ts	I	Revenue		Expenses
Known Miss	tatements:											
AI	GW - GA	911 Dispatch received contributed capital for new radios from a Homeland Security Grant running through the City of Lansing and did not record any revenue, expense, or assets on the books	\$ 215	,637					\$	215,637		
A2			•	,					•			
		To record capitalized interest related to the									•	(115.100)
	station	SRS fund	115	,198							\$	(115,198)
Estimate Ad	ljustments:											
ВІ	GW - GA	To record estimated accrual for payroll costs incurred on 12/30/07 and 12/31/07			\$	115,532						115,532
B2	General Fund	To record estimated accrual for payroll costs incurred on 12/30/07 and 12/31/07				80,135						80,135
В3	Ambulance Fund	To record estimated accrual for payroll costs incurred on 12/30/07 and 12/31/07				11,714						11,714
В4	Health Fund	To record estimated accrual for payroll costs incurred on 12/30/07 and 12/31/07				8,713						8,713
В5	911 Fund	To record estimated accrual for payroll costs incurred on 12/30/07 and 12/31/07				6,584						6,584
В6	GW - BTA and											
	Building and	To record estimated accrual for payroll costs				2.004						2.004
	Safety Fund	incurred on 12/30/07 and 12/31/07				3,804						3,804
Implied Adju	ictus o mass											
	astments:											
None				-		-	\$			-		
		Combined effect	\$ 330,	,835	\$	226,482	\$	<u>-</u>	\$	215,637	<u>\$</u>	111,284

Other Recommendations

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Centralized Accounting and Reporting Oversight

Livingston County has structured its responsibilities for accounting and reporting based upon state statutes. As the accounting and reporting for governmental units has gotten more complex throughout the last decade, the structure established by state statutes have not been updated to adequately address these complexities. Many counties and townships have updated their accounting and reporting structure to accommodate for the adherence to required rules and regulations by creating a department whose primary responsibility is the oversight of financial reporting and other accounting and reporting requirements. This department coordinates with the statutory offices and utilizes an integrated accounting system to provide overall processes and controls over the financial reporting requirements of the governmental unit.

Establishing a department (or a position) whose primarily responsibility would be the oversight of the financial reporting of the County would be considered a best practice in the industry. This would allow for enhancements to the County's current accounting and reporting structure by providing overview and oversight of financial reporting throughout the year, as opposed to solely as a year-end activity. Additionally, it could allow for the implementation of the various enhancements discussed below.

Interim Reporting

The County currently utilizes its general ledger on a modified cash basis method throughout the year. The County has chosen to record modified accrual adjustments on an annual basis only. The various balance sheet accounts impacted are cash and investments, special assessments and lease receivables, grant activity (receivables, revenue, and expenses), accounts payable, long-term debt, and inter-fund transactions (due to/from and operating transfers) for various funds. The County should consider recording these annual adjustments on a more frequent basis (i.e. monthly or quarterly) to provide more accurate interim financial statements, provide consistent reporting between the general ledger and grant reporting, and possibly save time and effort after year end creating these adjustments.

Fixed Assets

During the current year, equipment contributed to the 911 department under grant agreements was not recorded as a fixed asset (along with related grant revenue) of the County at December 31, 2007 for approximately \$215,000. Periodically reviewing fixed assets throughout the year would enhance the ability to timely identify and report these types of corrections and is recommended as a best practice.

Other Recommendations (Continued)

Additionally, generally accepted accounting principles state that when a debt instrument is being used to support the construction of a fixed asset, specifically in a full-accrual fund, any interest expense incurred during the construction period would be capitalized as part of construction-in-progress on the balance sheet. Total estimated interest expense incurred in the current year in the Septage Receiving Station Enterprise Fund amounted to approximately \$130,000, of which a portion should have been capitalized as part of the septage receiving station constructed in the current year.

The capitalization and tracking of fixed assets is accumulated and prepared by an outside vendor. We suggest that the vendor periodically provide this information to the County for concurrence at times throughout the year (i.e. quarterly). The County could also provide documentation of actions of the County to the vendor that would affect the fixed asset listing.

Grant Revenue and Expenditures

Federal and state revenue and expenditures are analyzed and maintained by the various departments receiving the funds. In recent years, the County has had an employee involved in compiling information for preparation of the schedule of expenditures related to federal awards; however, there are typically many adjustments by the auditors to this schedule for single audit reporting. Due to the significant amount of federal and state monies received by the County and the various reporting requirements on these monies, we suggest that the County have one person responsible for facilitating the tracking of these revenues and expenditures in total and to be involved in the reconciliation of federal and revenue expenditures reported within the County's general ledger to reports submitted to federal and state agencies throughout the year.

Accounts Payable

It is our understanding that the accounts payable clerk has the ability to create new vendors in the accounts payable module of the County's financial system. The County has mitigating controls over the disbursement process that would detect payment to an invalid or inappropriate vendor; however, best practices would indicate that the accounts payable clerk not have this capability.

Postclosure Landfill Liability

Currently, the County has a postclosure landfill liability which amounts to approximately \$1,583,000. The calculation of this liability has not been analyzed in several years, and we recommend that the County review the current set of circumstances surrounding the landfill liability and assess whether or not an adjustment to the liability is necessary.

Other Recommendations (Continued)

Census Data

Census data is uploaded electronically to the Municipal Employees Retirement System database on a periodic basis throughout the year. This information is utilized for calculation of the actuarial accrued liability and annual required contribution related to the County's defined benefit pension plan. This census data should be reviewed annually by someone at the County to verify the accuracy of the information submitted for these calculations.

Drain Commission and Department of Public Works Reporting in the General Ledger

Throughout the year, the Drain and DPW component unit information is tracked in a subsidiary ledger separately by the accounting personnel for these component units, concurrently with the treasurer's department tracking the cash and debt accounts. The County should have a formal process in place for the reconciliation of the special assessment and lease receivables recorded in the subsidiary ledgers of these funds to the amounts recorded in the general ledger of the County. During the current year, it was noted during our audit process that the subsidiary ledger was not reconciled to the County's general ledger, and an adjustment was posted to the County's general ledger to reconcile to the subsidiary ledger.

<u>Implementation of Auditing Standards - SAS 104 to 111 - The Risk Assessment Standards</u>

These eight new standards substantially affected the auditing process in the current year. We were required to have an increased emphasis on the evaluation of the County's internal controls including:

- Risk assessment by the County to determine where controls might be needed
- Control activities (procedures) in place to limit the risk of an error or fraud
- Information and communication (reporting) of financial activities of the County
- Monitoring (checks and balances) of the processes put in place
- Limits on "inquiry" as a valid audit test
- Greater focus on the impact of potential audit adjustments
- Additional support for information included in the notes to the financial statements
- Increases in audit sample sizes
- Increased need for the County to be actively involved in the preparation of its financial statements

Additionally, our implementation of these standards included a review of the general controls over the County's information technology/financial system of the County. The following comments relate to IT best practices related to internal controls:

I. Access Termination - When an employee is terminated, IT should be checking the employees last login date and verifying, through the event log, that no actions were taken either prior to or immediately following an employee's termination that could compromise the integrity of the financial statements. This is currently not being done.

Other Recommendations (Continued)

- 2. User Access Review Access reviews are not taking place. Management should consider establishing a formal process where access reports are provided to supervisors regularly and access is reviewed and documented at least annually. This is best achieved when the review is performed by someone other than IT (as they administer access). Access reports should be provided by IT to each supervisor or HR for review of access. Any exceptions should be clearly documented with IT remediation and retained for the duration of the audit.
- 3. Firewall Logs Currently, firewall logs are reviewed daily; however, the reviews are not documented. Management should consider documenting the reviews of the logs. Any observations and actions taken as a result should be documented and retained for management's monitoring and review. Review of logs assists management in detecting changing patterns and access attempts which may allow management to proactively avoid a future successful breach.
- 4. Network Authentication Controls During our review, we noted that some of the authentication parameters used to control security on the network are not being enforced. The length of passwords is currently set to six characters, and should be a minimum of seven. In addition, the length of time for inactive timeouts is not set. The combination of these issues creates a situation where passwords can easily be guessed or cracked by brute force. This increases the opportunity for unauthorized users to gain access to the network.
- 5. **Financial Applications Authentication Controls** Currently some of the parameters used to enforce security for the financial applications are not being enforced. Users are not required to reset their password, there are no restrictions on minimum password length, and the length of time for inactive timeouts is not set. These issues create a situation where passwords can be easy to guess or crack by brute force and access to the financial applications can be obtained by unauthorized users, thereby compromising the integrity of the financial statements.
- 6. **Information Security Program** No documentation was provided to verify that a formal, documented information security program exists. Management should consider formalizing an information security program to document and communicate the policies and procedures that end-users need to follow and adhere to when using the County's information systems. In addition, all users and third parties with access to the network should be required to sign and acknowledgement that they have read and understand the program.
- 7. **Backup Procedures** Currently, backup tapes are not being rotated to an off-site location at least five miles away. Management should consider moving the tapes off-site, at least five miles away, to protect the backup tapes from any disaster at the primary location. The tapes should be clearly marked as to date/version and the off-site tapes rotation clearly documented to show which tapes are at the off-site location.

Other Recommendations (Continued)

8. **Third-Party Services** - Management should request and review the SAS 70 report for all third parties providing critical and financial services to the County. The SAS 70 report should be reviewed for overall opinion, scope, exceptions noted, and end-user control considerations. If a SAS 70 is not available, management should assess the internal controls of third parties through a questionnaire, inquiry, or walk-through of their facilities.

Retiree Healthcare Benefits

The Governmental Accounting Standards Board released Statement Numbers 43 and 45, Accounting and Reporting by Employers for Postemployment Benefits Other Than Pensions. The new pronouncements provide guidance for local units of government in recognizing the cost of retiree health care, as well as any "other" postemployment benefits (other than pensions).

Currently to date, the County has funds in an irrevocable trust set aside toward the funding of its retiree healthcare benefits. We commend the County in already taking significant strides relating to the requirements of these new standards. As required by GASB 43, the trust is properly disclosed in the 2007 financial statements of the County.

GASB 45 is required to be implemented in the fiscal year ending December 31, 2008. This standard will require any underfunding of the "annual required contribution" as calculated by the actuary to be reported as a liability in the full accrual financial statements of the County. We understand that the County has included the actuarial information in its consideration in completing the budget for 2008.